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understood if we credit that \$2.50 will be expected and demanded.

#### W. P. WALTON.

#### A New Yankee Trick.

I went up to one of the slaughter houses to see a friend of mine. While I was there a man who paddied kerosene around the city in a wagon drove up and wanted some bladders. He finally bought a lot of those sheep bladders that will hold when blown up from a pint to a quart. After he left we talked it over and wondered what the man could want them for. They are used in making bologna sausages, but he couldn't want them for this. Finally I started for home and in cutting across a field came up on the 'peddier's wagon standing by the fence. The kerosene cans in the wagon were covered with a cloth. I walked up closer and saw the man at work partly under the cloth. He would take a bladder. force it down through the mouth of a can, blow it up with a stick with a hole through it, take a string from a bunch already cut and ready, tie the mouth of the bladder and let it remain in the can. I watched him until he had fixed up all his cans in that way. He had some bladders left and I was anxious to see what he intended to do with them. He drove along to a house and a woman came out to buy some kerosene, bringing her own cap. He got partly under the cloth while filling the can and I saw him put one of the bladders in her can and blow it up the same as he did in his own cane. He then gave her the can and went along. This is a pretty sharp trick. Every can with a bladder inside will hold of course from a pint to a quart less oil than he is getting pay for. Fall or empty, no one would be likely to discover the blad der in the can. It would not rattle, being

SNEFF CHEWING SOCIETY WOMEN. - It has been no great secret that many ladies in society here of late years have smoked more or less cigarettes, writes a Washington correspondent. Last winter the practice of snuff-dipping found great favor among the fair sex and many genteel and high bred ladies in society have indulged in it. Each enuff-dipper has her bottle and swab stick, from and by which she conveys the filthy dust to her lips. The article used for this repulsive purpose is the old fash. ioned vellow Scotch enuff, of which four times as much is consumed in this way by the women of this metropolis as for the titillation of the olfectory organ by all the anuff takers of both sexes. When the practice has once fastened upon a woman it is Tomilason and J. Harvey Brown, are atsaid that she rarely, if ever, is able to ehake it off. Neither ruined health, self respect, love for her husband, children or friends can give her sufficient resolution to abstain from "digging" or "dipping," as south chewing is called.

soft, would add nothing to the weight and

JOGGING HER HUSBAND'S MEMORY .- A husband was sitting in his store at Marietta when a letter in a familiar handwriting was handed to him. It was from his wife, whom he had left at home that morning with every assurance of affection and devo tion. But the very first sentence startled him and as he read on the most terrible suspicion seized him. "I am forced to tell you something that I know will trouble you, but it is my duty to do so. I am debe what it may. I have known for a week that this trial was coming, but kept it to myself until to-day, when it has reached a crisis and I can keep it no longer. You must not censure me too harshly, for you must reap the reward as well as myself. I do hope it won't crush you. The flour is all ou'. Please send some this afternoon. I get it."

News

Near this place there lives a farmer who always wore a soft, woolen hat and when he went to the war he always slept with his bat for a pillow. The babit of four years' standing was fastened upon him not to be shaken off, and even to this day when old man John seeks the arms of Morpheus the old wool hat must pillow the head that was once a target for Yankee shot and shell .- [Gibson (Ga ) Enterprise:

and central Louisiana still continues. A one, who acts as his slave. The duties of medical lectures. The Board adjourned to single firm, representing leading lumber in- the latter are to watch on a hitlock while meet the 1st Monday in June next in Danterests in Grand Rapide, Michigan, has just the master lies in a snug hole out of the ville. Physicians in attendance, Drs. A. bought 30,000 acres more of government wind, and to go in front when there is some pine land in Natchiteches parish, making prospect of danger. Any negligence is Warren its total holdings there 290,000 acres, all quickly punished by the horns or forefeet of bought within the last two years

#### GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

Lancaster.

-- Wool is worth 25 cents per pound here. The buyers are A. H. Rice & Co, and William Silliman.

-Eld, W. O. Goodloe, who preached for the Presbyterian church here last year, has accepted a call at Greenup, this State. He leaves for his new field at once.

-If we have no late frosts, James Doores thinks there will be plenty of strawberries. W. G. Anderson has made the remarkable discovery that it is warmer in summer than it is in winter.

-Madam Rumor has it that there are two weddings to occur here shortly. The reported brides are two of our handsomest ladies and the grooms are gentlemen of excellent habits.

-There is on exhibition here a heating quite a curiosity, and seems to me to be an and water. By decomposing the water, water gas is made at a small cost.

-Lancaster can boast of a genuine, oldfashioned stage line, the Baltimore & Onio this writing Express having put on one of these ancient vehicles between this place and Danville. John Woodcock feels like he is in Somerset since the stage came to town. It carries him back to the days of his youth.

-The meetings at the Christian church Frank is stirring up the sinners. His sermon Sunday night proved beyond cavil that there is a sure enough hell and that when a fellow gets there he is in for all eternity - there is no way of getting out.

-- We are glad to see our farmers turning their attention to the rai-ing of a better breed of horses. It costs just as much to raise a scrub as a fine horse. With such horses as Gibbs Brothers' Garrard Wilkes; Elkin's Arthur Sim ; Warner's Uttimus and Engleman & Farris' Bluemont t select from, we cannot help keeping pace with our sister counties.

-B. M. Bardett, writing from his new town, Killarney, Florida, says that village is on a boom He expects to have waterworks in operation by May 20th. He is that it was only used in Sunday school and selling lots every day; says the climate is could not be seen - Bridgeport (Ct.) delightful; no hotter there than in Kentucky, if you only keep out of the sun. He had not been raised to such things. It is and wife both in excellent health and delighted with Florida

-Sam Miller, John Woodcock, John Duncan and Joel Walker left yesterday, desire to do otherwise. We say with the Thursday, for a week's fishing spree on the majorty, let the organ be used. Cumberland. Lancaster can boast of more sportsmen than any town around us Your correspondent, prompted by a spirit of ensuggests that these gentlemen could better Wednesday evening. spend their time more profitably at home with their wives and families.

-Captain Mike Sutton "came down from rheumatism, the mountains" Tuesday and after a few hours' rest and refreshment, left on the thither to yell for Buckner. H. C. Kauffman, M. H. Owaley, J. P. Sandifer, R. L. tending the convention at Louisville. The country will be perfectly safe in the hands of these gentlemen.

#### From Peck's Sun.

Jay Gould has recently made use of the following in regard to wealth:

"After all, what does any man get in this world except something to wear and some where to live." Over 15 years ago we wrote an article in regard to Gould's rapidly sccumulated millions, used the same words and sent Gould a marked copy of the paper and wrote on the margin of the paper. "Now, Jay, divide up and go fishing and have some fun with your money." Did Mr Gould divide up? Naw! Did he quit trying to pile up millions and go fishing termined you shall know it, let the result and have fun? Naw! He kept delving and making money, until he hasn't a dozen friends on earth, and when he takes any recreation he goes off on a \$1,000,000 steam yacht, so far away that nobody can murder him, gets sea sick and leans over the nickel plated railing and throws up a \$10 meal And that he calls enjoying life!

An old writer, speaking of death, says: thought by this method you would not for- "I do verily believe in those terrible ceremodies and preparations wherewith we set 15 years, struck another boy of the same She was right. He didn't .- [Savannah it out that more terrify us than the thing color and age named Bony Burdett in the itself; a new, quite contrary way of living back of the head with a brick. The strike the cries of mothers, wives and children, occurred this morning; Burdett is supposed the vi-its of astonished and affected friends, ty be seriously injured and Kitchen is una dark room set around with burning taper ; in fine, nothing but ghostliness and horror round about u ; render it so formid and buried already.

S range stories are often told concerning the peculiarities of wild animals. Among the latest is one by a Canadian paper as fol-The purchase of pine lands in northern stag is generally accompanied by a small understanding that he was then to attend his lord.'

As there are 1,500 lawyers in Pailadel How to Cure Warts .- Place the thumb lised as follows: For a straight hug, girls phia, and over 6,000 bars where liquor is upon the wart and press it against the bone. under 16 years, 20 cents, each thug of two sold, it will be seen that every practitioner Move the wart back and forth upon the minutes duration; for 17 to 25 years, 75 has four bars to make business for him. bone until the roots become irritated or cent; school marms 40 cents; another man's Four saloons that do not turn out, directly sore, when the wart will disappear. I have wife, \$1; widows 20 cents to \$2, according or indirectly, enough litigation to keep one had quite a number upon my hands and lawyer busy, are hardly doing a prosperous have got rid of all of them in the above nickel, and no limit to time Ministers not manner.

#### MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

-Your regular correspondent is in Louisville with the unterrified.

-Elder Shackelford, of Lincoln, preach ed here Sunday and Sunday night.

-William Weaver, of Kansas, was mar ried Thursday to Mrs. Nancy Nawcomb. near Brodhead.

-The rumored marriage of one of Maretburg's business men has taken place. It

-Miss Luda Francisco, a 13 year old attachment for cooking stoves which is day morning of measles. This is the secthe father, has been dangerously low with

-What appeared to some to be an inunderstood the situation. When the person in question ran for office, some years almost brought himself to to-day by the ex cessive use of whisky.

-Mr. James Maret goes to St. Louis We incaday evening after the nomination of governor is made. We suppose he goes on account of the price of shaving having JACKSON HOUSE, been raised to 15 cents by the Louisville barbers Col. J. B. Fish, of Bell county, will accompany him as the bootblacks have raised on prices too, though the Colonel may have to go on to Chicago to let his

-A non-resident who attended services at the Christian church Sunday night was somewhat surprised to see that the organ was not used. On inquiring of some one for the reason therefor he was informed was not used in divine services on account of the prejudice of a few old fogies who passing strange how a civilized community will allow one or two prejudiced persons to control such matters, when nine out of ten

### DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY

-Mrs. Judge Breckinridge was slightly

-Mr. Givens Webb, Gilcher & Brother's efficient clerk, is ill with inflammatory

-A delegation of Danville Odd Fellows will go to Lexington on the 6th inst., to atevening train for Louisville. He goes tend a celebration of the 50th anniversary of Friendship Lodge of that place.

-Deputy County Clerk Jona B. Nicho's this morning recorded a mortgage of \$3,500, 000 given by the Louisville & Nashville railroad to the New York Trust Company for borrowed money.

-Mrs. Mary D. Sallee, wife of W. J. Sallee, died Monday evening, from illness the result of premature childbirth. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. P T. Hale, of the Baptist church.

-Rev. Joshua D. Knox and Susan Tucker, both colored, obtained marriage license this (Thursday) morning and were married by Presiding Elder George W. Hatton, of the Methodist Church. Rev. Knox is also a Methodist minister.

-D. S. Hinman and Tip Bruce bought on Wednesday of R D Pruce a bay geld. ing, 4 years old, 16 hands high for \$225 B H. Perkins has rented the property of Mrs. E. A. Akin, corner of Main and Second street and moved there with his family.

-Miss Zoe Welch is visiting friends in Cincinnati. Mr. B. F. Phillips made a flying trip to Georgetown Wedne-day. Mise Sue McDowell has returned from a visit to Chicago. Mr. Thomas Durham, of Dayton, Ohio, is visiting friends in this coun

-A negro boy named Tom Kitchen aged

-- A meeting of the medical examining board of the 8th judicial district was held able that a man almost funcies himself dead at the office of Dr. A. W. Johnstone on Tuesday, and Dr. James Kinnsird, of Lancaster, was elected president and Dr. I. S. Warren, of Somerset, secretary. Mr. Ross Burnside, of Lancas'er, was granted license lows: "Where there are few deer a big to practice medicine for two years, with the W. Johnstone, James Kinnaird and I. S.

> A hugging society has been organized at Blue Mound, Kansas. The rates are estab. to looks; old maids Scents, or two fr a charged and editors to pay in advertising we Every sack guarante d to give satisfical.

#### OBITUARY.

- A note from Dr L. R. Yates informs us that his mother, Mrs. Ruth Yates, died at his home in Hiawatha, Kansas, on the 11th of April, 1887, tn the 821 year of her age, where she had lived for the last ten or twelve years. Thus a mother in Israel has passed away; gone to her home "beyond the river." For about 40 years she was an honored member of the Methodist church in was B. F. Sutton, postmaster, to Martha the town of Stanford, Ky., ever true and - Our Sunday school is not having the empty in the house of worship, and at so attendance it should have. There are cal and prayer meeting her presence show enough children and other people here to ed her to be a constant, true and faithful make it as good a school as there is in the servant of the God of all grace. Her sick mountains if they could only be induced to and afflicted neighbors, ever, if able to go, received her kind and faithful ministrations and christian attentions. Her house was daughter of Jasper Francisco, died Mon- always open as a home for the way-worn itinerant preacher. We knew her long; we ond death in the family within the last knew her well, and we know when we say was reported in last paper. Mr. Francisco, Methodist Church, such men as father Geo. the same ailment, but is some better at George W. Merritt, Bishop Marvin, John G. Bruce, the Minors, the Godbys, the Kellevs, with others we could mention, if livconsistency in report from here a short ing, testify that after many long and weary while since is plain enough to those who rides, on district missions, hard, rough and comfortless circuits, in the early days of Methodism in Kentucky, they found a since, he was a respectable man and had cheering home, a comfortable night's lodgcontinue with unabated interest. Brother influence, was not the wreck that he has ing in the house and home of our departed sister, whose care and sympathy for the itinerating preacher never seemed to grow weary or less. B V. Stanford, April 20, 1887

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#### FULL REPORT OF THE CONVENTION

LOUISVILLE, May 4th .- The democracy is in absolute possession of the city and is in the State and are for the most part the best men of their sections. The hotels are crowded and last night the jam at the Louisville and Alexander, where most of the candidates have their headquarters, was simply terrific. At the latter hostelry Sen-He was in fine spirits as if he carried the not calculated to increase their equanimnomination in his pocket and conversed ity. with the throng in an easy and pleasant er counties where contending delegations our district. appear.

friends at the Louisville. The old gentleand they come in for a big share of at- applause that his whole speech produced. tention. The other candidates are mixing for attorney general, with big odds in favor from the 31 Louisville is seated. A minoring highest in the pools. The "armless report is adopted. professor" seems to have the call at present. Hartford, who retired from the race for brother of the man who did him up there lientenant governor, will be chosen tempo- The battle creates great excitement, which rary chairman, while it is a settled fact that the arrival of the police and the music of the Speaker of the National House will be the band finally allays, made the permanent presiding officer. The Senator Harris now appears on the stand. o'clock in Liederkranz Hall.

ganized in the various rooms in the build- clamation, promising for himself that from ing and agreed upon their representatives now on he will fight for him as strongly as in the various committees. The 8th dist for the last three months he had opposed trict delegation chose J. S:one Walker him. Judge Holt follows suit and Berry, chairman; J. B. Thompson for member of after a bitter speech, withdraws his own Committee on Credentials, W. T. Tevis on name, but does not second the other gentleresolution 4, J. A. Craft on permanent or- men's motion for a unanimous nomination. ganization, J. T. Davis, of Shelby, for vice | The nominating speech for Gen. Buckner is president and W. P. Walton for assistant made by Captain Ellis, of Owensboro, secsecretary.

began. It was half an hour before the standard bearer of the party amid an en wast crowd could settle itself and then the thusiasm that is rarely exceeded. Broaddus, of the Baptist church, after Cleveland, bogus civil service reform is opwhich Col. Johnston made a short speech posed, a declaration for honest money -

appointed, the Chair in addition to one member for each congressional district added B. W. Duke and W. J. Stone to that A. McKenzie to resolutions, and G. M. Adams and W. T. Ellis to organization.

At this point Secretary of State McKenzie offered a resolution applauding the fidelity, wisdom and courage of President and pledging support. Pres Taulbee, who as honest, faithful and economical. had the hardihood to vote to pass the pauper pension bill over the President's veto. opposed the resolution and it was finally tee on resolutions. The tilt between Mc-Kenzie and Taulbee waked the boys up and they plainly showed that Cleveland was solid with the masses. The convention then at 1:15 adjourned till 3 o'clock.

wild over the appearance of Betty and the and everybody is wild with enthusiasm. Baby, as they were taken down the aisle to the box where they were the observed of the observers, till Simon, jr., got tired and the committees Green Smith, Speaker of till 10 to-morrow. the Indiana Senate, was introduced and made a rousing speech followed by Senator Blackburn, Henry Watterson, the Massachusetts member of the National Committee, Congressmen Breckinridge and Taulbee. The speeches were timely and eloquent and each speaker took occasion to Nominated amid the Wild- compliment the brave, honest and true man of the White House. Mr. Watterson's speech was in rather a humorous Senator Harris Moves that it be vein and he brought down the house as he referred in his inimitable manner to the many patent nostrums now prescribed to cure the body politic. The band discoursed some enlivening music and the Committee on Credentials still putting in no appearance the convention at 5 took a recess till 8 o'clock to night. It is understood that there is considerable trouble over contested delegations, the one from Mason causing the most trouble.

8 P. M .- The Committee on Credentials is still not ready to report and cries for holding sway in its usual unterrified man- Beck finally bring that gentleman to the ner. Delegates are here from every county stage and he delivers a characteristic speech. Dr. Standiford, candidate to succeed Mr. Beck in the Senate, also speaks in response to repeated calls and makes a most excellent impression in a five minutes' address. It is now proposed that to facilitate matters the Committee on Organization be allowed ator Harris is located and when I called at to report. It is so ordered and the reading came on here to cast his vote for Buckner. his rooms last night I found him surround- begins. One, two clerks break down in the Bettie and the Baby. ed by as true a lot of friends as ever stood attempt to make their voices fill the hall, by a man in an uneven and hopeless fight. and they retire amid ridiculous remarks,

The report is very long and relates prinmanner. In reply to my questions he said: cipally to party organization and man-"Gen. Buckner will be nominated, of course. sgement. When the name of John G. Car-That was a foregone conclusion from the first, lisle is mentioned as permanent chairman, as the sentiment in his favor could not be the convention cheers itself hoarse. Messrs. diverted. Considering all that I have had W. L. Ringo, Thomas S. Petit and W. P. to fight, I am well satisfied with my race. Walton are named as the permanent secre-My main interest now is in standing by taries, with the members of the democratic the friends who have stuck so closely to me press present as assistants. Judge S. G. and seeing that they get fair play and fair Sharp, of Lexington, is named for Chairman representation in the convention." My im- of the State Central Committee and the pression is that his name will not go before headquarters of the party is moved from the convention, though he will fight for all Frankfort to Lexington, A new Executive he is worth to secure the admission of his Committee is also named and L. W. McKee, delegates from Fayette, Jessamine and oth- of Anderson, suggested as the member from

The appearance of Mr. Carlisle is the sig-Gen. Buckner was surrounded by his nal for another outburst of applause. His speech is the very essence of democratic man bore the adulation and flattery of the doctrine and his remarks about the reduchere wershipers with becoming dignity and tion of taxation to the amount actually looked every inch the grand old man that needed for an economically administered he is. Betty and the Bab y are also here government but added fuel to the flame of

The report is adopted and the Committee with the delegates and everybody seems in on Credentials appears. Half each of the the best of humor. There are but two real Mason county contestants are given seats contests, that between Richards and Hardin and the delegation headed by El Madden of the latter. The superintendent's race is ity report on the last proposition is voted a lively one, with Pickett and Boreing sell- down. After much speechifying the entire

During the debate Sel Miller, who got a It is understood that Senator Sam Hill, of beating at Lebanon, gets another from a

convention will be called to order at 12 amid terrific applause and in a speech that did him great credit moved that the nomi-At 10:30 the Congressional districts or- nation of General Buckner be made by aconded in an admirable and tasteful manner The doors of the large building were by Matt Adams. The unanimous motion thrown open at 11 45 and the grand rush prevails and the old General is chosen the

chairman of the State Central Committee, A committee is appointed to inform him Hon. J. Stoddard Johnston, rapped for or- of his nomination and pending his arrival der. The divine blessing on the work of the committee on resolutions reports the the convention was invked by Rey. John A. first clauze, warmly applauds Grover congratulating the democracy on the ex. gold and silver or a paper convertible into cellency of its representation and counsel coin on demand; sympathy for Ireland is ing harmony and such action as will re expressed; federal aid to schools is viewed dound to the best interests of the party, with alarm, along with other measures in Nominations for temporary chairman being tended to enlarge the powers of the govin order Hon. Matt Adams nominated Sen ernment beyond the point intended by the bas become the husband of his late mother. \$1,000. The latter 15 hands 3 inches by ator Hill and he was chosen without oppo- constitution; the war tariff is denounced in-law.

sition. On taking the chair he made a and the reduction of such taxes on necessistirring and sensible speech, with the ex- ties demanded; the action of the democratception that he chose to nominate Buckner ic house in reclaiming land grants made by in advance of the convention. His remarks the republicans to the amount of 100,000 in that regard were out of place and in bad millions of acres is endorsed and approved: taste besider. The temporary organization a labor plank is adopted declaring that Episcopal Church in 400 years and the first was completed by the election of Messrs. their interests should be protected, their Ringo, Graddy, Herndon and Crutchfield wages guaranteed and a system of imparas secretaries. The committees were then tial arbitration recommended that will settle all differences between employer and employe; opposition is expressed to the importation of contract labor, the employon credentials, Henry Watterson and James ment of children in mines and factories and the competition of contract with free labor; the resources of the State demand development and all efforts to advance prosperity and the investment of more foreign capital is warmly approved; and the Cleveland, endorsing his administration administration of Gov. Knott is endorsed Railroad from Portsmouth to Gallipolis.

Taulbee presented a minority report striking out the clause commending the president for the exercise of the veto powdecided to refer the matter to the commit- er which is received with cries of "no" and hisses. His speech is interrupted by the precarious condition. arrival of General Buckner, who advances upon the stage and after house shaking cheers have subsided he accepts the honor and responsibility in a becoming and hand- cold wave. This is true according to the On reassembling the convention went some little speech. The band plays Dixie dispatches, or else her biggest liars are

Taulbee again proceeds amid much confusion and it being suggested at ten minutes past midnight that the electric lights W. P. W.

[Special to the INTERIOR JOURNAL.]

LOUISVILLE, May 5th, 5 P. M.-Resolutions adopted almost unanimously after passage at arms between Taulbee and Mckenzie. Hardin received 150 votes more than Richards and was then unanimously nominated. Hewitt and Tate were chosen by acclamation. South was not presented. For Superintendent, Taylor 106 and Goodknight 58 votes with Pickett and Boreing far in the lead and Thompson a good third. But little change till third ballot, when Goodknight is withdrawn before the vote is announced. Taylor is also withdrawn on the fourth; Thompson goes under and the tug comes between Pickett and Boreing, and the old chaplain wins by over a hundred. Corbett was nominated by acclamation and the convention adjourned finally at 3:30. W. P. W.

Every democratic Congressman in the State is present and both Senators. Gov. McCreary is in fine health and spirits and as usual adding to his host of friends. He was repeatedly called on for a speech, but

Lawyer A. R. Clarke, of Casey, kills two birds with one stone this trip. He went by Midway and took to himself a handsome

with the exception of W. H. Miller, J. S. we learn they gave themselves up, but they Murphy and Sam T. Harris failed to show up, but the vacancies were filled by them with Col. Isaac Shelby, T. D. New-M. Owens and W. P. Walton.

One of the happiest men I have seen today is W. L. Barnes. He has recently taken a charming Hoosier girl to be Mrs. Barnes. She was Miss Jeunie Adams, of Paint Lick.

Unless I am greatly mistaken, that bright young lawyer and clever gentleman, Col. an enviable figure in the history of this he might have been a blessing to his com are no better men anywhere than he and influence of whisky. A crowd was in his his excellent brother, M. T. Craft, both of shop till about 11 o'clock at night and he whom we are proud to claim as our best friends.

out a peer in that line of business, as the about 12 o'clock, leaving Uncle Charlie sitcoupled with his extensive knowledge of straightening him out to put him in an men and affairs, his graceful manner of ex- essy position he found that life had departpression, make him an especially desirable ed. Esquire John M. Tilford summoned a member of an editorial corps. He writes what he wants for his paper and it goes in George Ross, P. A. Parker, James Coulter, without supervision or suggestion.

#### NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS. -Bowling Green suffered a \$10,000 fire.

- Lexington is to have a natural gas -Four men were par boiled at Paducah

by the explosion of an engine and will die. -St. Martineville, La., is alarmed over an epidemic of leprosy which is alleged to -The decrease in the public debt during

April was \$13,052,093. The total debt is \$1,704,174,957.

thrown aside literary work and gone to the young people and children are epecialteaching school in New York. -Capt. W. F. Dawson, editor of the

Charleston News and Courier, proposes to sue New York Sun for \$100,000 damages -Cholera is said to be rapidly disappear

ing from Chili. Since the first outbreak of the scourge there have been 2873 deaths in Santiago de Chili alone. -Haley, Tenn., has a natrimonial sen-

sation. James Smith some time ago married the daughter of a poor widow. After two months of connubial bliss the couple separated and a divorce was obtained. pair of horses, 163 hands high, to Snider & Smith then went sparking the widow, mother of his divorced wife, and now he sparking the widow, a pair to T. A. Harris, of Kansas City, for the latter 15 hands 3 inches her

washed away in a creek near Georgetown Saturday and it is said that the water was so contaminated that all the fish died.

-The first deaconess admitted to the one eyer created in America was installed by Bishop Potter in St. George's church. New York, Sunday.

-William Black, of Daleville, Ind., charged with whipping two step-children to death, was taken out of his house by a vigilance committe, stripped and lashed with buggy whips and ordered to leave town.

-D. A. Shanahan and J. H. McCarthy of the Shanahan railroad syndicate, Louisville, have the contract for building the extension of the Onio and Northwestern

-Mrs. Charles Martin, the wife of a young farmer near Grand Rapids, Mich. gave her two children rat poison and swallowed a dose herself. One child died and the mother and the other child are in a

-Texas is the only State in the Union big enough to have, at one and the same time, a flood, a drouth, a hot spell and a sending the dispatches.

-A Chicago restaurant keeper named Murdough suicided by jumping from the roof of his house, One of his waiters behad to be taken out. While waiting for are about to go out the convention adjourns came so greatly excited when he heard of the suicide, that he leaped from a fourthstory window and was killed.

> -Levi J. Wise shot and killed Robert Owens at Leonardstown, Md., for intimacy with his wife. When he asked him if the rumors of it were true, Owens replied "Yes, by God," and before he could turn around five bullets had perforated his diaphragm.

#### YOSEMITE, CASEY COUNTY.

-This end of Casey county has been unusually disturbed the past week. First and foremost the Pension Examiner held a court at Mt. Olive last Saturday and created some consternation among several feminine pensioners and also exasperation against a witness or two who failed to testify to their advantage. Then Miss Amanda Stratham procured a writ against an ancient female by the name of Mrs. Harriet Carmichael charging her with perloining some pictures and her case is set for next Saturday before Esquire John M. Tilford's court. Public opinion is divided in relation to the guilt of the prisoner.

-On last Sunday "Tinney" Durham and W. M. Patterson from the Mt. Olive section came to this place and by some means got themselves on the outside of an unwholesome quantity of double action, concentrated liquid devilment and made wife in the person of Miss Jennie Pate and thinge lively from here to Mt. Olive firghtening women, chasing boys, &c. A writ was gotten out against the young men and after The original delegation from Lincoln, making themselves scarce for a few days have not been tried yet.

-The saddest event that we have to chronicle is the death of "Uncle Charlie" land, Masterson Peyton, T. R. Walton, Sam Simpson, who was found dead in his shop on Monday morning. Genial, hospitable, charitable, he was beloved by everybody and his untimely call from among us has cast a gloom over the whole community. Mr. Simpson had lived in different sections, Bloomington, Indians, and Wood fell in traveled a good deal and had picked up a love with her during one of her visits to vast amount of general information. He Garrard, when he was merchandising at was industrious and had a fine business tact and at the time of his death was running a combined tinner and barber shop and restaurant. But for one fatal weakness, an Joe A. Craft, of Laurel, is destined to cut inordinate thirst for alcoholic stimulants. State. He possesses all the requisites to munity. From testimony before the jury make himself famous, combining with an of inquest it appears that he came over acknowledged ability, a gentleness of man- from histresidence Sunday morning sober ner and an attractiveness of address that and at himself and attended to business. renders him peculiarly popular. There but in the evening he became under the did not seem unusually intoxicated, singing and playing his fife till his company de-Col. Sam M. Burdett is as usual at home parted. A colored attendant of his shop, in reporting the convention. He is with- Frank Christen, states that he went to bed many sparkling columns of graphic matter ting on a box with his head down apparentin the Courier Journal attests. He is al. ly dezing. Frank slept sound and waking ready away up in the front rank of journal up in the morning he found that Uncle ism and his wonderfully retentive memory, Charlie had fallen from his box. On jury of inquest consisting of Spears Fisher Thomas Walden, I. W. Durham, James Cloyd, R. J. Morris, John Gaddis, Marion Sweeny, John Allison and G. W. Lewis, who after a thorough examination of the testimony in the case, returned the follow. ing verdict: We the jury, after examining the body of C. E. Simpson find that he came to his death by an overdose of whisky and brandy. G. W. Lewis, Foreman.

#### RELIGIOUS.

-Elder G. W. Yancey, of Lancaster, will preach to the children at Goshen Church -Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland has next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All ly invited.

> -S. H. Baughman's Santalene, a 2 yearold stallion by St. Martin, ran second in the 2-year-old purse races at Lexington Saturday and Monday.

-Yesterday was a dull court day. But little stock on the market, and prices ruled low. Two lots of yearling cattle sold at \$18 to \$20 per head. George Becker sold 60 very fine 2 year olds privately to J. E. Clay, at \$61. They would weigh about 1,300, John T. Hughes, of Muir, sold one Greever, of Kansas City, for \$1,500. Also Gen. Duke .- [Bourbon News.

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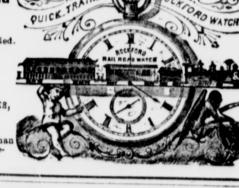
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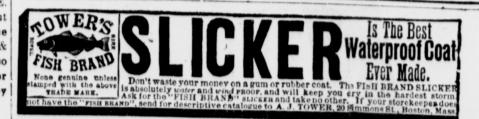
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#### HOW TO SHOOT BIRDS.

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After a Good Deal of Pointing with an Empty Gun You May Use Shot Upon Cans and Glass Balls, Then Try

While the proprietor of a Broadway gun store was watching a party of young men who were practicing with pistols in a Sixth avenue shooting gallery the other night and discussing shooting in general with a friend, he was asked if he could tell how a man with but little knowledge of a gun could become an expert as a wing shot in the field. He

"If a man knows the butt from the muzzle he can be told how to become an expert shot. This is a very good time of the year to begin, especially on a rainy day when time hangs heavy. Take the gun to your room, and, after making sure that it is unloaded, bring it to your shoulder and aim at the door knob, and as the sight covers the mark press the trigger slowly. It is astonishing to see how nervous the new beginner is about pressing the trigger. He does it with a jerk invariably, and a jerk destroys the aim. A gun weighing eight pounds is about right to practice with, and that is a very good weight for all sorts of birds except ducks, geese, etc. When you find that you can readily get the sight on the door knob, the keyhole, or on some mark on the other side of the street which you can see through the window, try following the crack of the door or the edge of the door frame from bottom to top, pulling the trigger as the sight reaches the top. This is simple practice, but, if followed deliberately, it strengthens the muscles used in handling the gun, and also trains them to obey the will promptly, but without nervous haste. Some men will learn to handle the gun calmly in this kind of exercise in a day or two, but others require a month. When I was learning I kept my gun leaning against the mantel, and picked it up and pointed from one object to another at often as convenient.

"The next step is to learn to follow a mo" ing object. Aim at the head of a passing horse, keeping the sight as closely on an ear as possible, or the head of the driver if the horse be attached to a vehicle, or aim at the head of a pedestrian. The sole object of this is to strengthen the muscles so that they will obey the will. Keep the eye so low behind the butt of the barrels that only the top of the sight appears against the object aimed at. A BEGINNER'S PRACTICE.

"When a pleasant day comes take your gun into the fields. A trap such as may be had for from \$3.50 to \$10, for throwing glass balls, should be taken along. A friend to help with the trap is convenient, but not necessary. But no glass balls will be needed the first day. A few old tin cans will serve much better. Throw these straight up with the trap, pointing the still empty gun at the cans as they rise. Press the trigger when the can has reached its greatest altitude. Do this over and over. Then press the trigger as the can our own offspring.-Brooklyn Magazine. is midway on its trip up or on its return. You will find as you do this that you can usually tell whether you have hit the can or not, provided you had fired at it. Then set the trap so that it will throw the cans first to one side and then to the other, and then straight away from you."

"But why work with an empty gun?" "Because the report and the kick of the discharge of a loaded gun almost always prove too much for the nerves of a beginner. The object of the first practice of a beginner should be to overcome all nervousness. He must learn not to get rattled. bane of marksmen. No rule can tell how a man must practice with an empty gun, but he must certainly not load the gun until he feels certain that when he presses the trigger as he points at the flying mark he would certainly hit it nineteen times out of twenty if the gun were loaded. The distance of the aspirant from the trap while the gun if handled unloaded should be about twenty yards. Then, when ready for the next step, reduce the distance to fifteen yards, put the biggest can on hand on the trap and load the gun. The cartridges must contain two drachms of powder and three-quarters of an ounce of No. 8 shot. No. 8 is the correct all around size of shot in upland shooting, and that weight of charge will not make a kick of any conse quence when fired. But don't shoot at the can the first time it is thrown into the air after the gun is loaded. Follow it as before. Being nearer to it, you will find it easier to follow, and with this feeling uppermost throw the can again. Follow it to its highest altitude, where the shot is made casiest, and

pull the trigger. IF YOU SHOULD MISS. "If the previous training has been thorough enough a miss is impossible. If you do miss, go back to the empty gun and follow the can over and over again until proficiency comes. Then try the loaded gun again. Try at the can thrown nearly straight away, after you have learned to hit it regularly as it goes vertically up, and then try it as it is thrown to one side. You will probably miss the first shot at a can thrown to one side, but if you hold just a trifle ahead of the next one you will bring it down. Don't be in a hurry to leave the tin can for glass balls. The cans cost

when you make a hit. "Finally it will become such an easy matter to hit the can, even at thirty-five yards and with an increased charge, say three drachms of powder and an ounce of shot, that it will weary you. Then glass balls or clay pigeons may be taken up. It is better to point them with the empty gun for a while. They travel with much greater speed than a tomato can, and if you follow them for half of a day's practice with an empty gun it will not be time thrown away. There is but one rule for the length of time to be devoted to each kind of practice, and that is to follow it until absolutely confident that you can do the next

nothing, and can be used over and over, shot

holes make no difference. You can easily tell

thing as readily as what you are already do-"From clay pigeons the next step is, of course, to genuine game. No matter how thorough the previous training has been no novice can hope to go into the field and bring game to tag on the first day. He ought not to try it. He will get the buck fever at the first whirr of a quail's wing, and by undue haste and nervousness upset all the good effects of his previous training. Take the empty gun and no cartridges whatever, and go into the fields. If cartridges are carried no man can resist the temptation to try them. There are two things to be done; one is to point the gun at every moving bird and beast that comes within a hundred yards; the other is to estimate the distance of the game pointed at."—New York Sun.

A Generous "Divide." Oswald Ottendorfer, proprietor of The New York Staats Zeitung, recently gave 175 of his faithful employes a dividend of 10 per cent. on their total earnings for a year.

Lord Lorne is writing a long political essay in Malta, and ignores the round of festivities in which Louise indulges.

Gen. Phil Sheridan gallantly carries his wife's band bag when he goes shopping with

#### OUTWARD OR HOMEWARD.

Still are the ships that in haven ride, Waiting fair winds or a turn of the tide; Nothing but fret, though they do not get Out on the ocean wide. O wild hearts that yearn to be free Look and learn from the ships of the sea!

Bravely the ships in the tempest tossed, Buffet the waves till the sea be crossed: Not in despair of the haven fair, Though winds blow backward and leagues be lost. O weary hearts that yearn for sleep, Look and learn from the ships of the deep! -F. W. Bourdillon

#### MARRIAGE OF UNEQUALS. Women More Likely Than Men to Marry

Beneath Their Intellectual Station.

The genius of Milton never found a sweeter theme than the ideal marriage of our first parents in Eden, yet he who wrote so beautifully of the married state was himself the victim of an unhappy marriage. Indeed, men of genius have, perhaps, been more untals, because, living on a higher plane of

a helpmate equal to themselves. The same is true, although not to the same extent, of women of genius who have married men inbut more adaptability in it than a man's.

witness the life contract of brides and bride- pearance. grooms stop to consider the tremendous importance of so brief a ceremony. Upon the mental, moral and physical qualities of the man and of the woman may depend the actions and results of actions of a succession of son, and the secretiveness or aquisitiveness or the miser, who, a few decades hence, will be the black sheep of the family fold. An ungovernable temper married to an ungovwhom society is forced to hang for its own protection, but who may be as irresponsible before the tribunal of supreme justice as the lunatic is now held to be before our earthly

It has been said, coarsely, perhaps, in the ears of modern refinement, but with perfect truth, that while we take every precaution to insure high qualities in the higher types of dogs and horses, we seem to think it a matter of no consequence to insure a noble nature to

#### She Fixed His Blouse.

We had gone into winter quarters at Charleston, W. Va. Some new recruits had arrived for the Thirty-sixth Ohio, and one of them was finding fault with the government for not putting more pockets in his blouse. It happened that the wife of Gen. R. B. Hayes was on a visit to the general and was stopping at headquarters. Some of the boys told the grumbler that he could get a pocket put in his blouse; that Gen. Hayes kept a seamstress at headquarters on purpose to patch their clothes and sew on buttons

"Yes," said one, "the general is always on the lookout for the welfare of his men. Only the other day he had a man arrested for sewing on some buttons. The idea of a soldier patching his clothes when the general has a woman for that purpose! If you want another pocket in your blouse take it to the general; you will find the lady there. Tell them what you want and you will soon

He was soon on his way to headquarters, while we watched to see the fun. The recruit marched up and the general returned his salute and said:

"Well, my good man, what can I do for "General, the boys told me there was a woman here to sew for the soldiers, and I

wanted to get a pocket put in this blouse." Before the general could answer Mrs. Hayes spoke up and said: "Certainly, certainly; leave your ouse for

an hour or so and you shall have a pocket in When the soldier returned with the pocket

n his blouse, and the boys told him who the lady was, we realized that we had carried the joke too far and had imposed on one of the best and truest women in the world .-National Tribune.

Christian Converts from Buddhism. I met a gentleman a few days ago who has but recently returned from a residence of several years in India. He is well educated, and during his long residence in the land of Buddhism he turned his attention especially to the effects of Christianity upon the followers of Gautama. At first he was deeply impressed by the devotion shown by the natives who professed to have embraced the religion of the western world. He found them faithful in their attendance at the services held by the missionaries and very careful in following out the instructions given them by their teachers. In fact, they were, as a rule, far more devout than the members of the European colonies.

After studying them for some time, however, my friend became convinced that a very large percentage of the apparently converted natives were far from being sincere in their protestations. While parading before the Europeans as devoted Christians they were secretly as faithful followers of Buddha as even the most punctilious member of the Exalted Order of the Star of India could wish them to be. My friend found that the native of India, like the heathen Chinee, had a great deal that was "artful and bland" about his character, and simply pulled the wool over the missionaries' eyes in order to keep in the good graces of the Europeans. He explained that a native who was known to have embraced the religion of the west enjoyed a great many more advantages among the Europeans residing in India than the one who failed to renounce Buddhism .- "Rambler" in Brooklyn Eagle.

#### Ginger in the South.

Ginger is said to succeed well in all the states bordering on the Gulf of Mexico, but it has not yet been demonstrated whether it will prove to be a profitable crop or not. A Florida paper makes suggestions about the method of cultivating it.-Chicago Times.

#### Why He Was There. "Don't you dawnse, Fred?"

"No, dear boy; I'm invited out for my facial expression."-New York Journal.

The New York court of appeals has reaffirmed a former decision that the elevated railroads in New York city must pay for damages through loss of light and air to premises along the lines.—Chicago Times.

#### PROGRESS IN JAPAN.

OW THE PEOPLE BEGAN FARMING ON THE AMERICAN PLAN.

Manufacturing Agricultural Implements Under Difficulties-Trial of the First Plow-The Natives Greatly Astonished. Watching a Mowing Machine at Work.

In a few days I received the somewhat startling notice that the government had determined to adopt my advice, and that in a tew days a force of native mechanics would be ready to work under my directions manufacturing the implements. As I was no mechanic, and as I had always thought I had no mechanical ingenuity, I was in a very serious dilemma. To say that I could not do it was to lose all prestige. On the other hand, an attempt to do it would almost surely end in I consulted with my American fortunate in this respect than ordinary mor- friends and they all encouraged me to go shead and do the best I could. If there had thought, it was more difficult for them to find been models to work from the imitative capacity of the Japanese would have been equal to the emergency, but we had no models for the more complex and difficult implements. ferior to themselves in mind, because a wo- However, I concluded that an American man's nature has not only more endurance, could do anything that anybody else had ever done and I accepted the responsibility, though The man soon grows impatient of the conversation of a frivolous wife, especially if she building was put up and divided, one-half for disturbs his mental occupations, but the wo-man often feels a pleasure in the homage of a wood workers. I started in on plows. We commonplace husband, if only he be an hon- had to take the Japanese ingots of steel, the est and considerate fellow, and with her more same as they had made their old; words from, than with man "pity is akin to love." Hence and presumably the same as had been used to it is that there are probably more clever and 'make the old Damascus blades. It is the best highly gifted women who throw themselves steel now made in the world. With these away, as the phrase is, upon a good natured, little ingots these patient workers hammered simpleton, than of talented men who fall in away day after day as I had directed until love with women who are not in intellectual the first plowshare was finished. In the mean time the wood workers had made the The world "marries and is given in mar | beam and handles from the old oak in the age," and the wedding bells ring on from Yeddo castle gate. When it had been put age to age unceasingly, and yet how few who together the plow had a very respectable ap-

TRIAL OF THE FIRST PLOW. This experiment had excited a great deal of attention from the Japanese officials, and I had received notice that in a few days two or three cabinet officials would be present to see human beings in generations yet to come. the plow work. At the appointed time they The ungoverned will descends from sire to came, with a good deal of ceremony, and the plow was successfully tried. The astonishuncontrolled by other qualities in the father ment and delight of the officials were very or the mother may make the thief, the liar great. They invited me to a dinner and sent presents to the mechanics who had made the first foreign plow ever constructed in Japan. Our little shop gradually grew until it became ernable temper may beget the murderer quite a factory. We made everything used on a farm except mowing and threshing machines. We even made thimble skein wagons, the thimble being cast at the foundry of the navy department. I had to guess at the width of the track, having forgotten the width of the track of our wagons. When finished they looked well and worked well, but I now know that they were four inches wider than even the old Illinois wide track wagons. The most difficult task was to make spring steel fork times and spring steel teeth for hay rakes, but we did both.

#### HEMPEN HARNESS.

In the hurry of this work some oversights were bound to be made. One was in making harness. When all ready for that, we found that there was very little harness leather in Japan, and there was no time to import it. What was to be done was a very serious question. My mental resources were nearly exhausted when I remembered having seen the negroes down south during the war plowing with rope harness. Acting upon that, I small blocks of stone are thrown by the had made 200 sets of hemp harness, every | shovelful into the "hopper" of a small | than anywhere else in the country, although piece in the same shape as in leather harness, and they answered a very There was not a piece of leather about them, as we used canvas for the collars. When I arrived on the ground selected for the farm I found that I had not done with the plow question. Some portions of the pasture were covered with chestnut bushes, and the ground was full of large roots, so much so that no ordinary plow could cut them. In order to prepare this ground for plowing, men were put to grubbing out these roots. At even the extremely low price at which labor is paid there I soon saw that to grub out these bushes would be an expensive operation. I therefore had a plow made that could not be broken. It was made of wrought steel, cut a twenty-six inch furrow, and was strong enough to go through any obstacle. To this plow we attached nine horses, three abreast, and with it we went through the chestnut bushes as though they had been rushes. When the horses were thoroughly broken and the plowmen had gained experience, one man could plow from three to three and one-half acres per day with this big plow. THE NATIVES ASTONISHED.

Near to our operations were large old farming districts with a numerous population. By the time our plows and harrows were successfully running the fame of the foreign farm had spread to these people, and they came flocking in, whole villages making journeys to see the wonderful foreign implements work. With their mode of digging up the soil with a mattock an eighth of an acre is a good day's work for a man. When the farmers, who had never seen any other than mattock tillage, saw this great plow turning its twenty-six inch furrow at the rate of three acres per day, they held up their hands and cried, "Wonderful! Wonderful!" Through the whole of the first year our labor saving careful in turning the fish that it does not machinery drew crowds of native farmers, some from a distance of more than 100 miles, and these journeys were mostly made on foot. A greater wonder than the plow, even, were the mowing machines. Some of the pasture divisions were clear of brush, smooth as a house floor, with fine grass for hay. A pair and simmer slowly for one-half hour, of Japanese ponies, with a fifty-four inch changing the water until properly freshof Japanese ponies, with a fifty-four inch sickle bar mower, could easily cut from ened, then add one pint of milk, one tabletwelve to fifteen acres per day, while with a Japanese grass knife a quarter of an acre was a good day's work. The sight of these mowers cutting a swath fifty-four inches wide, as fast as horses could walk, took the breath away from these simple people.

DANGEROUS CURIOSITY. How the machine did it was the mystery, as the sickle and bar when work was being done was hidden in the grass. Their curiosity would lead them directly in front of the machine, in spite of the warnings of the driver, and it was found necessary to have a mounted attendant with each machine to save the limbs of the curious. A corn sheller was another marvel, taking in the ears of corn and discharging the shelled corn at one opening and the cobs at another. But what struck them dumb was a self raking harvester. The construction of that could be explained to their minds only on the grounds that the inventor was a wizard and dealt in the supernatural.-H. Latham in San Francisco

#### Piutes Snowed Under.

A Nevada newspaper says that a citizen recently saw two Piute bucks dig a hole in a snow bank, get into it, and wrap themselves in a single blanket, preparatory to a night's rest. In the morning he saw no signs of the Indians, but a mound of snow marked the spot where they went to bed. He was sure that they had frozen during the night, and prepared to dig out the bodies, but the first thrust of the shovel brought the bucks to their feet, with grunts of disgust. Instead of being frozen, they were moist with perspiration. - New York Sun.

#### INDUSTRIAL BRIEFS.

Among the latest inventions is a machine for cutting up old timber and converting it into fire-wood and bundling it all ready for sale. The timber is fed in at one side and comes out at the other as stated.

REDDICH, Eng., manufactures fifty million needles per week. A large per cent. of the fish-hooks of the world are also the product of that place. A recent estimate given the number turned out weekly at twenty million

MANY workers in steel, plated and polished goods are troubled by excessive per spiration of the hands. To obviate the be kept constantly at hand and frequently used upon tools employed.

A TRADE journal states that an American traveled clear to Siberia and obtained the process for making the class of iron known the only case in which an American manufacturer has obtained the process. THE sugar-cane planters of the "gulf

States" are importing large quantities of

fertilizers for the advancement of the

sugar industry in that region. A vessel

loaded with one thousand tons of guano was recently received at a Southern port A NEW method of laying concrete under water consists of first inclosing the beton or concrete in paper bags or other soluble envelopes, and then lodging the bags so filled in the desired position under water by sliding them down a chute, or in such a

manner that they will not be ruptured un-

til after their contents are in place. BRUSSELS carpeting proper has a basis composed of warp and woof of strong linen thread. In this warp there are added to every two threads of linen ten threads of woolen of different colors. The use of linen is to bind the worsted together, and woolen threads are from time to time drawn up in loops to form the figures; each row passes over a wire, which is withdrawn without cutting the yarn. A cheaper kind is made by printing the figures and colors in the worsted instead of weaving

them. Sawpust has been used for making mor tar successfully, and is a cheap material. It is imperishable when bedded in the lime. and holds the lime together as well as hair. It is better to use some sand, as the silica of the sand is dissolved by the lime and unites with it, forming a silicate of lime or a sort of stone which hardens with age The sawdust binds the cement and makes it tough and stronger. Sawdust has been also used instead of hair for plastering, and is said to make an excellent substitute, but we have no personal knowledge of it.

In Germany gold, platinum and silver strips are welded, after the mosaic style, upon a metal ground, prepared by the incandescent process, and finally elongated by rolling into long sheets or strips. These sheets, which are now of all colors, yellow, red, green, white, gray and black, are made into scarfs and neckties, which, being indestructible, are considered of some practical worth. This novelty, it appears, has found great acceptance abroad, numerous orders for export having been received by the manufacturers, who are chiefly in tha Pforzheim and Baden districts.

NEARLY all the common marbles which are dragging down the pockets of the boys of our land are made in Oberstein, Germany. They are made from the refuse of the agate and stone quarries in that neighborhood. The stone is broken into small cubes by blows of a light hammer. These There are more opportunities for making and mill, formed of a bed stone, having its surved with concentrated furrows; above these is the "runner," which is made of hard wood having a level face on its lower surface. The upper block is made to revolve rapidly, water being delivered upon the grooves of the bed stone where the marbles are being rounded. It takes about fifteen minutes to finish a bushel of good marbles, ready for "snapping." One mill will turn out 170,000 marbles per week. The very hardest "crackers," as the boys call them, are made by a slower process. somewhat analagous, however, to the

#### COOKERY TRIFLES.

MUTTON CUTLETS. -Stew and season; dip first in beaten egg and then in cracker dust; put in dripping-pan with two ounces of butter and a little water; baste and bake brown; flavor with mushroom catsup.

MUTTON HARRICO. - Take a choice piece and divide into chops; sprinkle with salt and pepper and boil them; make a rich gravy, season it and add tomato catsup; take two carrots, one turnip and one onion cut up, and add to the gravy. Serve with green pickle.

SWEET PICKLE. - Nice sweet pickles can be made from wrinkled and tasteless English russets. To seven pounds of fruit put three pounds of sugar and one pint of good strong vinegar. Stick two or three cloves into each apple, which should be previously well wiped and have any imperfection carefully removed.

FRIED Con.-Have the fish nicely dressed and split, cut in pieces as large as the hand, roll in meal, and lay in a pan in which there is plenty of hot fat; salt to taste, and fry until nicely browned. Be break. Always put your fish in the pan the flesh side down; after that is well browned, turn and brown the skin.

SALT FISH CHOWDER. - Strip into shreds and remove all bones from one and onehalf pounds of salt cod; put over the fire spoonful of butter, one teaspoonful of dissolved corn starch, and a dusting of pepper. Let this come to a boil and dish immediately.

CHICKEN FRENCH.-Clean and truss a chicken, cut one onion and one-half carrot into small pieces and put into a pan, add one sprig parsley, one bay leaf and four cloves. Put in the chicken, add one pint stock, one teaspoonful salt and one saltspoon pepper. Cover and cook until tender, basting often. When done take out that I proposed to live among these white the chicken, cover with crumbs browned in butter and serve with sauce.

This white fricassee of chicken is exceedingly delicate: Skin a chicken and cut it in pieces, seasoning with salt, pepper, nutmeg and mace. Put the pieces in a stew pan and pour over them half a pint of cream or rich milk, adding a little butter rolled in flour. If fancied, force-meat balls may be added. Set the stew pan, closely covered, on the fire and simmer until the chicken is tender.

BRAISED TONGUE. - Wash the tongue and simmer slowly two hours. Then skin and trim it. Tie the tip to the thicker part. Brown two tablespoonfuls butter, add two tablespoonfuls flour, pour on slowly one quart stock, add one-half carrot, one-half turnip, and one onion and one potato cut | them?" fine, a sprig of parsley, two bay leaves, one tablespoonful table sauce, one tablespoonful mushroom catsup and one stalk celery. Put the tongue into a pan, pour the sauce over and bake two hours. When done, remove the string and put on a platter. Boil the sauce until reduced one-half. Pour around the tongue and

#### THE "NIGHT DOCTOR."

SINGULAR SUPERSTITION AMONG WASHINGTON NEGROES.

Myth Traceable to the Traditions of Barbarism-Freedom and Social Equality Among the Colored People of the Capital.

"I heard the night doctor go by last night and I knew the boy would die before morning," said an old Washington darky once to the writer. And when I asked him who the baneful effects of this, an oiled rag should night doctor was he rolled up his eyes in the most painful manner to behold, shook his head and muttered some gibberish which I could not understand and made some queer motions with his hands. Among a certain grade of negroes in Washington, particularly as Russian iron. This is supposed to be those who drifted there after the war from the extreme south, there prevails a superstition that is as ominous for them as the death tick used to be for the ignorant peasants of England. It is that there rushes through the street at midnight a supernatural being, formed like a man, having long, hook like fingers and a poisonous breath, and that whenever he turns and breathes upon a house where a child lies sick the child is doomed to death before another night. It is not ominous to one to hear the night doctor, as this being of superstition is called, and always after the death of a child the negroes get together and ask who of them heard the night doctor pass by. Some one is sure to assert that he or she heard the low, moaning, rushing sound made by the night doctor's quick flight. But it is regarded as a surely fatal sign if any one sees the night doctor.

#### THE NIGHT DOCTOR COMING.

Sometimes at midnight darkies who are on the street will suddenly turn their faces to a wall and stand with their hands over their eyes for some moments. They have fancied that they have heard the night doctor coming, and they believe that if their eyes rest upos him he will turn and blow his malodoro blast upon them and that death will surely speedily follow. These people are singularly reluctant, too, to speak to any one but those of their own superstition about the night doctor, and if they are tempted to say anything they speak with undoubted manifestation of terror. I once heard an old colored man who was head waiter at one of the hotels say that he knew that a man of whom I inquired would not recover from his sickness because the night before he was taken he had seen the night doctor go flying through the streets. The man did die in a day or two, and had been dying for a year with consumption, but no reasoning could persuade these colored people that he was inevitably doomed before he had the vision of the night doctor. But the victims of this creature are children, except when an adult sets his eyes on it, and there occurs no death among the children, according to their belief, which was not on the night before indicated by the passage of the night doctor. The myth seems to be traceable to tradition brought by the ances-

tors of these people from Africa.

The Washington negroes offer most interesting opportunities for study of the effects of freedom and political equality, and it is not altogether encouraging for those who looked for a rapid and happy development when the colored people had equal chances with the whites. Most of them have learned to se thrifty, or at least to rely upon daily work for support. Laziness does not prevail among them to the extent that it does further south. saving money in Washington for these people the negro population is one-third that of the city, and no city in the United States has a larger colored population. They are very tenacious of their civil rights, especially in public, on the horse cars, in the theatres and at the Capitol. They are very anxious to own homes, and they are divided into social sets with as much rigor, if not by stricter lines, than the white people of the city. The coal black negro despises the mulatto, while the mulatto is disposed to snub the pure blooded African. But they are all clannish, and are most abject imitators of the white people, even in the matter of social etiquette. and are slaves to superstitions as much as they ever were upon the plantations, though many of them strive to conceal this trait.

#### LITTLE ORIGINALITY.

They show but little evidence of originality of thought, though many of them have received fair rudimentary educations. The majority of the younger generation can read and write. There are, of course, some exceptions to this rule, but these exceptions prove it. They show as a rule no aptitude for mechanical work, and though there are a few good carpenters and other mechanics among them the colored man's hands seem to be clumsy with any skilled tool except the razor and shaving brush. They have bad twenty-five years of freedom and especially favorable opportunities to develop under this new condition, with strenuously exacted and willingly given civil rights of all kinds, and yet the great mass of these people continue to be laborers, barbers, waiters, servants, cooks and washerwomen. Their slavery to superstitions such as that of the night doctor, no amount of education or reading seems to free them from, and if their churches do not directly encourage, they at least do not frown down such disposition. It seems impossible to eradicate it.

There seems to be a feeling among the negroes all over the country that Washington is their true home, and you will find it expressed here and there if you talk with negroes of comparative intelligence. Only a few days ago I met a colored man who had been living in Bridgeport for nine years, and he said he was going to Washington to live. Said he: "I thought when I came to New England that a colored man, if he behaved himself and was a thrifty citizen, would be treated like other men. But I find that everywhere in New England the colored people are compelled to live in settlements by themselves. I wanted to buy and build a house in a nice, respectable part of Bridgeport, for I did not want to live in the dreary and unpleasant quarter where colored people are obliged to go. But when it was found people, such a breeze was raised that I had to give it up. They told me that it would ruin property on that street if I went there; not because I was a bad or worthless man, but because I was colored. It is so everywhere in the north. We have been made free, but no power but God can make us equal." there was a note of despair in this man's conversation which I fancied would not be very hard to change into one of desperation .- Cor New York Sun.

Where the Other One Was.

Child at Washington-Who are all those men lounging around outside the Capitol? Parent-They are United States senators, my child.

"Are there any more senators besides

"Only one." "Where is he?"

"He is inside, making a speech."-Omaha

I doan' belief half I hear-onless it vhas scandal. Den I belief it all and more too .-Carl Dunder.

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12 & 14 West Main Street. In the Days When Negroes Were Brought From Africa and Sold in New Orleans - White Girls Sold to African

> "Yes," said William Jack Haynes, the cenbenarian, the other day, "I was in the slave trade for three years-that is, I was engineer on the steamship Grampus, which ran from New Orleans to Africa for three years, buying negroes in Africa and selling them in

New Orleans. "How did you get possession of the negroes

to bring them over?" "I will tell you how we generally managed, and we always had a good load on our return trip. You know in those days, fifty or sixty years ago, the servant girls in the south were of a very ordinary and worthless kind, and would do almost anything. Many of them had no home, and few, if any, friends, and so no one noticed their departure. The captain of the ship Grampus would induce a number of these girls to go on board as servants, and when we reached the coast of Africa we would cast anchor, and the captain and his men would have the boats lowered and go ashore. They would soon ascertain where the chief or head man of the tribe lived, and then they would take one or two or the girls ashore with them and pay a visit to the head of the savage tribe. The girls were always willing to go 'and see the country,' and when they reached the African chief they were made an article of merchandise, just as were the trinkets that we carried over with them. The captain would negotiate by signs when no interpreter could be had, and the savage chief most always was charmed with the is wrong. white girls, and was possessed with a strong desire to have them remain. He would give them all kinds of presents and make much ado over them, and it was by taking advantage of this weakness that the captain was almost always successful in bartering them to him for as many negroes of his tribe as he could carry away. Sometimes he would have to leave two girls if he brought back very many Africans.

MORE OR LESS STRATEGY.

"These girls were then forced to stay?" "There was always more or less strategy used, and they generally consented to remain until the ship returned. Through the overtures of the chief and the assurance that everything the country afforded would be at their command, and partly through the threats of the captain and his promises to return, they generally remained, seemingly content to wait for our return, but always waited in vain. We would make up our load of slaves, turning a certain number of them in each evening and storing them securely in the hold, and, by repeating this each day, we and corporations. Its facilities for making col- would, with the chief's help, soon get as many as we cared to sail with. They were never obstreperous, and seemed perfectly content as long as they got plenty to eat, and were joyous in their barbaric conversations in the ship's hold. Occasionally one would die, and we would throw him into the sea, and then the others would make strange motions, I think (they worshiped the sun and moon

when in their own country." "And could you get a ship load of negroes for two servant girls?"

"Yes, sir; that's what we did. Of course, there were more or less trinkets given, but we never hoped to accomplish anything until we whiten clothes if added to them while had made peace with the chief of the tribe, and this could most always be done with two girls. We never left more than three with the head of a tribe."

"What kind of slaves did you prefer to

"We always picked up the young bucks, say from 17 to 20 years old. We also brought a number of females about the same age. We frequently brought them all up on deck, but when a storm came they would drop back to the hold in an instant at the wave of a white hand. They were obedient, and I never knew one to show any inclination to be other-

"What report would you give on your return of those girls who went out with you?"

THEY LEARNED THE TRUTH.

"They were, as a rule, never inquired after, but on one occasion a girl whom we left happened to belong to a pretty good family, and when we returned to New Orleans her friends were on hand to meet her, and when she did not appear they be sought the captain eagerly as to what had become of her. He informed them that she had preferred to remain in the sunny land until the good ship returned. This did not at all satisfy them, and they pushed their inquiries day and night until they learned the truth, and Capt. Johnson (for this was his name) was in danger of being He is a deep bay, 3 years old, 15 hands and 3 inches high. Sired by Lyle's Wilkes, the sire of Mattie Wilkes 2.27, Vernon L., trial 2.16%; last half 1.10, he by George Wilkes 2.22 with 55 in 2.30 list. 1st dam Zelka, a full sister to Maud Willward. ward.

"Then you did not ceturn to Africa?" "No; it was just at this time that I had an offer to take charge of an engine on the first steamboat ever run on the lower Mississippi, and I accepted it."

"When you were in the slave trade did you ever return to the place from where you secured your previous cargo?"

"No, indeed; we would always go to some other point, but we heard afterward that the girls left there did much good for the natives, teaching them to sew, cook and work."

"Did the Africans have any idea at the time that they were being sold into slavery?" "Not the slightest. They thought from the signs that had been made to them that they were coming to a place where all was lovely; where the sun shone brighter and the moon looked larger, and to eat tropical fruit would

be their chief employment. Sad, indeed, must they have felt when they began to realize that they had been sold into slavery, from which it was as impossible for them to extricate themselves as it would be to change the color flexible, although it is as tough as horn. It is a non-conductor of electricity and

in all?" "I kept no record of this myself, but on

one occasion I remember well we had one thousand on board, and we landed them safely in New Orleans. They were all sold in less than a week. We brought six ship loads ship, and I suppose the total number would be at least 7,000."

"Where were they kept in New Orleans until they were sold?"

"They were taken to what was known as the negro pen, which was an inclosure where a large shed was built. In this inclosure were cots of straw, and they slept there until they were driven off by their new masters to the cotton and sugar plantations, from which many of them were never released until death.-St. Louis Republican.

Looking Out for Him. Countryman (in an uptown hotel)-What

time is supper ready, mister?" Clerk-Six o'clock, sir.

Countryman (with an air of vexation)-Seeking homes on the line of this road will receive | Well, I've got some business to 'tend to afore special rates.

I eat, an' I'm 'fraid I won't git back till 'bout seven.

Clerk-I'll have the cook put something away for you on a plate. - New York Sun.

#### DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

BEEF will be rendered tender by lying a GRAINED Woods should be washed with

cold tea, and then, after being wiped dry, rubbed with linseed oil.

be removed by applying a solution of tartaric acid. This will not injure the paper, and will remove writing ink, but will not efface printing. To PRESERVE goods from moths, do not

use camphor in any form. Pieces of tar paper laid in fur boxes and in closets are a tetter protection. Five cents will buy enough to equip all the packing-boxes and closets of a large house for a year.

To BRING out the original color of the wood and lend a high polish to furniture. the following may be used: Place two ounces of white wax in a perfectly clean vessel and melt; then add four ounces pure turpentine and stir until cool, when it will be ready for use.

An excellent paste that can be preserved in a tightly corked bottle for a long time is made my melting a piece of alum the size of a walnut in a pint of boiling water, to which add two spoonfuls of flour mixed with cold water and a few drops of cloves; finally boil the whole.

It is stated in a fireman's journal that grates in second stories are less safe than those below. The precaution should be taken to ascertain the thickness of brick back of the flue in a frame building. may be determined by the extension of the breast of the flue from the wall.

A good knowledge of watering is at the bottom of success with window flowers. Water must run in readily and run out readily. When a plant is watered, it is a good sign to see the water rush out at once into the saucer through the bottom of the pot. If it does not do that, something

It has been proven that plants are beneficial in bedrooms, particularly in cases of invalids and consumptives, living plants ally imparting oxygen and moisture to the atmosphere being particularly corrective in their influence when dry furnace heat must be depended upon.

As a preventive of falling hair, scald an ounce of black tea in two quarts of water, strain, add an ounce and a half of glycerne, half an ounce tincture of cantharides, one pint of bay rum, mix well and perfume. Use frequently on the hair and the scalp, and take care of the general health. To sew carpet rags on a machine, lap

two of the pieces three-eighths of an inch over each other and stitch back and forth two or three times, then without breaking the thread, stitch together two more pieces, and so on. Cut the threads that oin the separate stitchings, but do not

A rew directions are here given for the preservation of that useful but much abused convenience the silk umbrella. A moist umbrella should never be permitted to dry rolled up. If rolled when perfectly dry, keeping it in the case does it no injury, general belief to the contrary not withstanding. Be careful in rolling that there are no cross creases in it.

A BOTTLE of turpentine should be kept in few drops sprinkled where cockroaches congregate will exterminte them at once; also ants, red or black. Moths will flee from the odor of it. Beside, it is an excellent application for a burn or cut. It will take ink stains out of white muslin. when added to soap, and will help to boiling.

THERE are a few good points of info tion on the furnishing of a north room: The warm colors are red and yellow, a yellow or buff paper with gilt on it and a bouquet of flowers with some bright red in it would simulate sunshine, and these same colors repeated in the carpet, portieres and window shades would help the simulation. The tints used may be delicate, deepening into darker hues in the carpet. The wood work may be any cutral tint with a warm feeling in it Pictures in gilt frames brighten a north Tidies with long ribbons run room. through them help lighten a room. Fancy rugs of cheerful colors aid in the good

BLACK silk may be sponged with a de roction of soap bark and water, if very lirty, and hung out to dry; or, if only creased and needing to be freashened, weak borax water or alcohol, and, where possible, it is better pressed by lying pieces smoothly and passing them through the clothes-wringer screwed very tight. If you must iron, do it after the silk is dry, between two damp pieces of muslin; the may see what you are doing through it. This is a little more trouble than ironing the wrong side of silk, but you will be repaid; the hot iron gives the silk a paperlike feeling; above all, never iron silk wet, or even very damp.

#### BITS OF SCIENCE.

lightning-rod has, by recent observations, been determined to be not more than twice the height of the rod.

EXPERIMENTS have shown that nickel may be effectively rolled upon soft steel plates, which are thus made valuable for lamp reflectors and other purposes.

An alkaloid obtained in Australia and known as drumine bids fair to rival cocaine as an anesthetic. This is from a genus of which the milkweed is a member.

EXPERIMENTS have shown that numerous angles, or numerous pipes, entering the same flue tend to the formation of a combustible deposit within the chimney. This may account for the numerous chimney fires which may have seemed unaccountable.

VULCABESTON is the name of a new article combining all the qualities of asbestos and India rubber. It can be rendered very "How many did you bring to America stands the severest tests of acid, steam or

In England, metal is now being substituted for card-board in book-binding, and s known as the "British Pellisfort" binding. It makes a thinner and more durable book-cover than card-board, and when covover during the three years I was with the ered with leather is the same in appear-

> In an experiment made by Darwin, one hundred heads of red clover excluded from the visits of insects produced no seed, while one hundred heads exposed to them developed thousands of seeds. This shows how great a factor in the fertilization of flowers are insects.

> THE Martian seasons, according to astronomical information, are as follows: Spring, 191; summer, 181; autumn, 149, and winter, 147 days in length. The meteorology of Mars is described as similar to that of the earth, the summers being less hot and the winters less cold than ours.

> THE Egyptian government is now expending large amounts of money in the development of oil wells in the region of the Red Sea. The product is a good heavy petroleum oil which flows freely from a depth of one hundred and twenty-five feet. Oil experts from the United States, England and Belgium are directing the enterprise.

#### THE RULES OF STYLE.

THE PRINCIPLES WHICH GOVERN WRITING AND PRINTING.

INK stains on books and engravings may The First Point for Newspaper Contributors to Consider-Grammar and Rheto- thirty or more weavers. ric-Be Fully Alive to the Events of the

> our hands the other day from the other side | which are creating havoc upon vegetation of the American consinent. Though apparently not intended for the public eye, we assure the writer will allow us to answer his questions in this public manner. "EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT.

"THE PORTLAND DAILY NEWS,
"PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 16, 1887.
"DEAR SIR—You will confer a great favor on the advancing civilization of the "wild and woolly west" by forwarding to me, if convenient, a copy of the rules of style in force in The Sun's composing rooms. The News desires to be abreast of its eastern contemporaries in style, as it is otherwise, and you can see my object. The Sun style is the best in the United States; in fact, The Sun is a perfect model of typographical excellence, and it is the intention to make The News as near as possible a full fledged, life sized photograph of the luminous eastern champion of Democracy. Yours respectfully,

"J. G. EGAN, "City Editor Daily News."

THE FIRST POINT. We should take great pleasure in doing all that Mr. Egan desires; but unfortunately there | A ser of plates on a table are called is no such code as he wishes us to send for- "covers." It is an English term, a dinner ward. The principles which govern the style of eight covers, ten covers, twelve covers. of writing and printing in The Sun are, like as many as you please. It probably comes the common law, preserved by authentic tra- from the old fashion of soup plates havformulas of unvarying prescription.

put it into language which presents it accu rately, vividly and picturesquely, so that the utes. They are very large eaters and reader may apprehend it exactly as the writer seem never to know when they have had intends. The great rule of all is accuracy. enough. State the fact or the proposition precisely as it is, or precisely as it should be, and never to the gaze of the traveler, it is necessary, say twenty-three or seventeen and a half when you mean twenty.

Shun snobbishness. "A man's a man for a' that" is the soundest doctrine, but he is never more than a man; and no thinker or writer has any call to be afraid of him, of his clothes, of his title, or of his money. Be an American always, a Democrat, a Republican. No literary style is good for an American journal ist without this moral foundation.

Never discuss more than one proposition & a time; and never attempt to enforce nyere than one idea at a time. Intellectual confusion, helplees complication of thought, is the bane of good writing.

GRAMMAR AND RHETORIC.

Know the truths and the maxims of English grammar and of English rhetoric Know the language that you are dealing in. There is one effective way to gain skill in these things, and that is to read the great masters, and, if possible, to practice writing under criticism that is intelligent and merciless, as well as sympathetic and vigilant. Who are these great masters, do you ask? There are many of them. John Bunyan is one, Sir William Blackstone another, Jonathan Edwards another, Lord Chesterfield another, Dr. Channing another, Cardinal Newman another, Arthur Helps another, Matthew Arnold another, Nathaniel Hawthorne another, Thomas Jefferson another. We might make a list of these masters of style that would fill a column.

Finally, be alive to the events of the day if you wish to possess a good style as a news- birth of a child, is boycotted; so also is a the water as though to feel its temperature, paper writer. Understand the value of news, What is news but the living record of providence, the daily tablet which God indites for the instruction of man? Even the trivial incident of the hour has its place in the mighty chapter of human destiny. Treat it as you may, then, gravely, satirically, or jocosely, let there be ever in your heart a profound reverence for the momentous power from whose operation it proceeds.

These are some principles of style which occur to us as we read Mr. Egan's letter. We fancy they form a pretty good code of rules, but we put them forth without dogmatism. Nothing would give us more pleasure than to have the opportunity of studying a better one and profiting by its inculcations.-New

#### Elaborate Evasion.

As a model of "how not to say it," Mr. Gladstone's reply to the question whether he was going to support Scotch disestablishment will probably never be surpassed. As a matupper one may better be swiss, that you ter of record, here it is: "I will only say that so far as I am able to judge, we are thinking at the present time, and the people of Scot land are thinking, of other subjects, which are regarded, I believe, as of much more urgent and immediate duty than the determination of a very much controverted ques tion, which, as I have said before, I believe the people of Scotland will find themselves Ta: radius of the circle of protection of perfectly sufficient to determine, and in a manner which the rest of the empire will respect, whether the answer be aye or nay. It is not within my knowledge, certainly that the consideration of that question has entered definitely into the concerns of the present election, and therefore I do not feel my own information or means of judgment about it at all augmented in the course of it by anything that has reached me."-New York Tri-

> Pat Donan on "Hamlet." Col. "Pat" Donan doesn't like the play of "Hamlet." Hear the eloquent adjective slinger: "I have no patience, much less sympathy, with a wretched weakling who goes around jabbering at dilapidated old ghosts in tin helmets and green gauze veils, under bogus moonlight; everlastingly threatening to do something and never doing it; driving his sweetheart to lunacy and a catfish death. by his dime museum freaks; making stump speeches to skulls and grave diggers; going into all sorts of he-hysterics; and at last running a section of barbed wire fence, in the most approved Chicago pig sticking style, through

bune.

York Tribune. A Dynamite Substitute.

his dead girl's brother, and dying himself, to

slow fiddle music, amid a general carnage of

lunatics and wreck of absurdities."-New

A new explosive, to which the name of "bellite" has been given, is regarded by certain scientific men of Europe as likely to come into general use in place of dynamite and other nitroglycerine compounds, and is recommended as a substitute for coarse gunpowder in larger firearms. It is a mixture of nitrate of ammonium with a dinitrobenzine. Experiments during the past two years by M. Carl Lamm, of Stockholm, indicate that the substance is not only the safest but the most powerful explosive known, with a mean force equal to thirty-five times that of ordinary cannon gunpowder, and a blasting effect greater than that of any material having nitroglycerine as a base. It has the great advantage of being exploded only by heat, no amount of shock or friction having any effect upon it, and it may therefore be dled without danger of accident, while it is less adapted for illegitimate use than dynam-

ite. Further results will be awaited with in-

terest. - Arkansaw Traveler.

HERE AND THERE.

THE Italian style of penmanship is fast superceding the English with the ladies of

the effete East. In the city of Amritsar, in the Punjab, are manufactured loom-made shawls, ranging as high in price as eight thousand dollars, which necessitates nearly a year's labor by

FREQUENT complaints are made of the rapid increase of the Australian rabbit which was introduced into the extreme We publish herewith a letter watch reached | Western States only a short time since and in general.

An English agricultural paper records the laying of 769 eggs by one duck in six years. For fear of eggs-agerating the ceased her pro-duck-tiveness and is now resting on her laurels. An authority on etiquette says: "It is

no longer fashionable for people to wait for each other at table; every one eats when served. No one notices his neighbor's plate excepting the hostess, who kindly lingers for the last one." THE Arabian horses are considered too

small for military purposes, although they possess great pluck and powers of endur ance. The horses of Persia give better satisfaction in gun teams and cavalry service and are far less expensive. A HUNDRED and thirty thousand miles of

railways traverse our country in all directions. From the Atlantic to the Pacific, three thousand miles apart, or from New York to New Orleans, the traveler passes without change in the same moving hotel.

dition, but nowhere inclosed in the iron ing covers. It is simply a form of expres-In our view of the subject, the first point | An Esquiman's food consists largely of in a good style of writing is to have in the raw flesh, seals, reindeer and sea-birds. mind a clear and distinct idea and then to It is said a family of four have been known

> In order to preserve the famous Sphinx periodically to remove the sand which frifts upon it and covers it from sight. Eighteen years ago this work was done in honor of the opening of the Suez canal, and from late accounts it is again undergoing excavation.

A PECULIAR system of railway charges is three classes of coaches, with dress as a distinction. First class means elegant coaches where well-dressed people only are allowed; second class for men of ordinary or rough dress, and third class for Chinamen and negroes.

THE Chinese are accredited with having made the first playing cards. They were introduced into Europe by the Arabs who used them in fortune-telling. In France, playing cards were made in 1392 for the liversion of the weak-minded King Charles VI. Printed cards were first produced in Germany in 1433 by a female card printer.

THE greatest game preserve in the world is said to be in the mountains of West Virginia. It covers an area of sixty miles, and there is not a settlement within its limits. Bear, deer, wild turkey and other game abound and the streams are alive finny prey for the angier. The seventy thousand acres embraced within this trac are to be placed in the charge of experenced game-keepers. BOYCOTTING is very commonly practiced

among Hindoo women. In their country mother-in-law, eating or living in the house of her son-in-law previous to the woman who neglects to put the sindoor (a and then suddenly draws it out as if it turned red powder) on the parting of her hair. A jut to be a little cold. But at last she plunges man can regain caste by performing the explatory rites, but an outcast woman is witnessed more sacrifices or murders than never taken back to her caste.

THE story is told of an intelligent horse, the harness apparently exhausted, while hakes the drops of water from her hair. ts owners appeal to the residents to buy their wood, as their horse is overcome with rewarded by seeing the horse get up and seen distinctly the outlines of the corpse.

relieved of his load. A TITLED lady of London, who was for have been impoverished through her ex pensive fancy for cats. She has an almost inlimited number of the felines in her louse, and when ever she goes about she s accompanied by a large number of her The lady and her cats were recently jected from a house where they had gone for a visit, by the aid of the city author-

Among the myriad forms of marine parasites is a strange specimen known as remoræ, a small fish, resembling a catfish which attaches itself under the fins of th shark so firmly that it is with difficulty it is removed. They are sometimes used by fishermen in the capture of turtles. A line is fastened to their tails and they re thrown toward a turtle, to which they quickly fasten themselves, and the turtle is thus drawn in.

An English traveler in Central Africa escribes it as the slave hunting grounds of the dark continent. The slaves are yoked in a long rough wooden prong for as ong as a year at a time. When a caravan is ready to start the men are coupled by the yoke being lashed so as to form a rigid pole, binding the pairs from neck to neck together. With loads on their heads, they then turn their faces to the eastward and leave their homes forever.

### MATTERS ABROAD.

A SHIP-BUILDING firm of Prussia is engaged in the construction of one hundred and fourteen torpedo boats. LAND in London is variously estimated at

from \$800,000 to \$1,120,000 per acre, and there are very few available sites even at that figure. An armor-clad vessel building at Sebas-

nd the largest set of triple expansion en-

gines ever made, and which will indicate 12,000 horse-power. MILAN has an extensive and intricate under-ground electric system. There are 9.500 Edison lamps, with nearly three miles

ill of which are under-ground systems. An account comes from Dublin of the defeat of one hundred English policemen by twenty-five Irish girls whom they were purposing to arrest from the poor-house. The girls undressed and went to bed, thus placing the policemen in a predicament.

SLAVERY is not an unknown condition in Tunis, despite the long-existing decrees against it. Cases are cited in London papers of numerous instances of extreme cruelty to servants who are held as bondmen, and British protection has been frequently invoked.

It has been commonly supposed that the omen of Lima are possessed of lovely olive complexions and bewitching eyes. This is a deception to a large extent, carried out by the head-drapery they affect, which, like the manteya (mantilla) Spain, conceals most of the features.

#### THE HOME OF BUDDHA.

STRANGE SCENES IN THE ANCIENT CITY OF BENARES.

Worshipers Bathing Together in the Sacred Waters of the Ganges-The Bathing Ghats-The Funeral Pyre-The Priests and Devotees.

About 500 miles from its mouth on the left bank of the Ganges, the great sacred river of the Hindu people, to propitiate which only a few years ago mothers were wont to offer up their babes, is the city of idols and the home of idolatry, Benares. It is to the Hindu paper goes on to state that the duck has what Mecca is to the Mohammedan, and a pilgrimage to it sometime during his life is the necessary journey of every true Indian pagan. Though there are no historical records to prove it, it is generally conceded that it is one of the, if not the most ancient city in the world, and that even when Rome was founding Benares was centuries old.

It is most peculiarly native in its streets, its buildings and its inhabitants, and, of all places in India, it is the place to see the aboriginal habits, customs and people. It numbers its temples in the thousands, but its thrines are so many that no attempt is made o number them. The sacred monkey runs up and down the walls and over the altars of the temple of Durga Kund and the sacred bulls and cows wander about that of Annapura and feed on the garlands that the worshipers cast before them. Just outside the city is the spot made sacred by Buddha's presence, and the tanks in which he bathed imself, his garments, and his religious vestels, said to have been protected from the conamination of man by fiery dragons. Benares s the religious seat of India, and might not inappropriately be called the capital of

BENARES' BATHING GHATS. But not withstanding its many temples and thrines with their wonderful carvings, its little narrow streets and lofty buildings, its rurious bazaars, by far the most interesting part of Beneres are the bathing ghats as seen from a boat sailing up and down the sacred Ganges. Ha'e one can spend hours and not lire, for there is a panorama as changing as a kaleidoscope, and whose pictures are as brilhant as an artist's imagination can paint them, for every day a large proportion of the inhabitants, high caste and low, go down to the river to bathe in and to worship the divine ttream as it goes rolling on its way to the scean, and the banks lined and the water in vogue in California, the railroads having alled with men, women and children are a night never to be forgotten

Here an old, gray haired man feebly washes as shrunken legs and arms in the cleansing and divine water. At his side stands a young Hindu matron, whose wet garment clings to her body and show perfectly her well formed imbs. A Hindu dandy, almost naked, sits only a few feet away on the bank combing his ong, oily locks and admiring himself in a attle mirror, which he holds in one hand. A powerful, athletic looking man stands not far away swinging with all his might a pair of primitive Indian clubs, while a poor old hag comes out of the cold water and exposes her withered breast to the warm rays of the sun. Little boys and girls run into the water, plash about, and then run out again and roll their wet bodies in the dust or lie down upon the warm stone steps that lead down to the water. On the top step sits motionless a :hubby infant whose mother has washed him and set him up there to dry. A DARK HUED APHRODITE.

A young girl walks trippingly down to the adge of the water and daintily puts her well shaped foot, the toes of which are perhaps covered, though not adorned with rings, into boldly in, and that wonderful river that has my other body of water in the world reeives her beneath its surface, above which a the possession of two wood peddlers, second later she emerges like a young mer-which, when requested, will lie down in maid and, like the dark hued Aphrodite, second later she emerges like a young mer-

Down the bank come four men carrying on a stretcher a dead body, with only a cloth fatigue. The humane people are always thrown over it, so thin that through it can be start off apparently refreshed upon being They pile up wood, place the corpse upon it, pile on more wood, and after a few muttered words light the funeral pyre, while the friends merly considered very wealthy, is said to and relatives of the dead sit around and watch the body as it burns in the open air. The wood drops down and one sees a leg half consumed or an arm burned in two. But the atendants pile on more wood and the havning. and the watching go on. When all has been consumed the last few ashes are cast into the river. Down to the water comes a high caste Brahmin woman clad in brilliant garments and attended by numerous servants, for all slike must bathe in the sacred stream

At intervals along the bank, on raised platorms, sit the priests, by far the most intelligent looking of the great throng. And when they come out these priests paint the foreheads of the devotees with peculiar markings, scept their offerings and encourage them in their idolatrous practices. Off they go to some favorite temple to worship some idol and make way for the new comers who wish to bathe in the sanctified stream. And the livine river goes on in its course as it has ione for centuries, receiving the devotions of the faithful, who wash themselves in its waters, and perhaps .ejoicing that a higher vivilization has pu' a stop to a practice that made it the unc ascious cause of many a nother's anguist and worship. - Cawnpore Cor. Chicago Tribune.

#### The Easter Island Images.

Lieut. Stone, who secured the prehistoric stone image from Easter island for the Smithsonian institution while attached to the Mohican, stated to a reporter that the image, which is now on its way here, is about 8 feet high, 4 feet wide and 3 feet thick. It is oughly carved or hewed. A head of another image was also secured, and some of the offiers obtained by purchase other curiosities, which could not be obtained elsewhere, which the Smithsonian will probably take off their opol is to have a capacity of 10,150 tons bands. The images, he said, are scattered all over the island, although many of them have been thrown from their pedestals and broken. It was customary for the natives to erect them over the cemeteries. They would bury their dead in cells with stone walls on three sides and with an inclined wall of earth in the of distributing mains. In addition to rear. They would cover over the burial cells these, there are (6) lamps of other plants, and form a top of flagstones to the platform, on which would be placed from three to a dozen images overlooking the sea, according to the size of the platform. The images were made from conglomerate

stone in the side of a crater and bewn with stone axes, and by cutting through a single stratum the image could be easily separated from the next stratum and then moved on an incline and erected. The images are of different sizes, the largest one being about 70 feet long, but this was never removed and lies in its bed in the side of the crater where the work was commenced. The statue secured by the Mohican was found about two miles from the shore. It took about eighty men two days to bring it down on rollers. Lieut. Stone said the present inhabitants know nothing about the images or the fresco decurations of the houses, but they intuitively bury their dead in close proximity to these statutes. - Washington Star.

#### E. C. WALTON, - Business Manager.

L. & N. LOCAL TIME CARD. Mail train going North Express train South... The a ove is calculated on standard time. Solar

K. C. LOCAL TIME CARD.

Trains leave Rowland at 5 and 7:15 A. M

me is about 20 minutes faster

#### Returning, airive at 6 and 8:55 P. M.

LOCAL NOTICES. LANDRETH'S Garden Seed at Penny &

A FULL line of fishing tackle of all kinds at Penny & McAlister's. THE best ready mixed paints are to be

had at Penny & McAlister's. Ask your grocer for the Cincinnati Ba

king Co.'s crackers and cakes. W ATCHES and Jewelry repaired on shor notice and warranted by Penny & McAlis

STANDARD ready mixed paints; quality and durability guaranteed at McRoberts & Tabler, McKinney. Stagg's.

A COMPLETE stock of jewelry, latest ny & McAlister.

#### PERSONAL.

-MRS. G. BRENT BARNETT is very low with the measles

-MR, W. B. MASON, of Lancaster, was in town Wednesday. -JAMES SEVERANCE is day clerk at the

Tribble House, Junction City. -MRS. W. C. WHERRITT is back from a

visit to her parents at Versailles. -MRS. DR. T. B. LEWIS, of Washington

county, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Higgins. -MR. TIM W. HIGGINS, of Louisville, attended the burial of Dr. W. W. Owsley. -MR. JOHN J MCROBERTS and wife and Haya'.

-Gus DECKER, of Paducab, arrived yes-D. Kiana

-MR. JOHN L. BOSLEY, of the Winches ter Sun, is visiting his father's family, Mr. Jack Boeley

-MRs. R. B. MAHONEY, of Millersburg, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Penny.

Kent, of Louisville, are the guests of the Misses Beszley.

-MR O. R. MARSCHALL, of Harrodsrush of business

the democratic convention.

and Mrs George McAlister. -JUDGE J. A. LYTLE returned to his

home in Kansas last night after a pleasant stay with his many friends here. -WE are under obligations to Mr. Will S. Hays for a copy of his latest production

"Old-fashioned Roses are Sweetest." -T. M JOHNSON, of Lancaster, is here

assisting in remodeling the mill. His wife accompanied him over and is the guest of Miss Ellen Wearen.

-F. JACOBS has telegraphed Mr. J. W. Hayden to clean his storeroom up, that he

will be ready to open in about a week. -J. P. EMBRY, the boss Fair man, passed through Tuesday on his way to attend the

convention, to which he was a delegate. -MRS. J. P. SANDIFER, of Lancaster, passed through this week en route to Rus- \$6,000. sellville to visit his father's family, Judge

N. Sandifer. -Col. W. G. WELCH, Maj. Theo. King, George Carpenter and Robert Fenzel are fishing in the Cumberland near Williams.

burg this week. -Mrs. J. M. Cook, of Hustonville, spent a short while with Mrs. G. B. Cooper, on her way to Nashville to see her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Lyles, who is reported as im-

proving. -MR. L SCHLEGEL, the photographer, of Richmond, was down Wednesday and yesterlay catching shadows. Commencing Tuesday, 17th, he will be here Tuesday of every other week.

#### LOCAL MATTERS. SEE Nunnelley before you sell your

Wool. Home Grown German millet at Hocker

& Bright's. FRESH fruits and candies just received.

Call and see them. A. C. Alford. CHRIS V. GENTRY has been made the re

FOR SALE, -A first class stave saw and equalizer. Will sell cheap. A. C. Sine.

cipient of a fine girl since our last issue.

I WILL sell wagons and buggies cheaper than anybody. Try me and be convinced. I. M. Bruce.

THE boys are making efforts for the biggest hop they have ever had. The date settled upon is Friday night June 10th.

THERE will be no meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic here to-morrow. Due notice of the time of the meeting will be given hereafter. Smith Irvin, Ch'm.

years, as to my work. My prices are yery reasonable considering my work. Will occupy the room in Ed McRoberts' building.

L. Schlegel.

REFERENCES:

John D. Carpenter, Hustonville; J. M. Elmore, Stanford; A. R. Penny, Stanford; A

NEW dinner and tea sets very low at Metalf & Foster's.

CALL and examine our 50 cent white shirts. Owsley & Craig.

Lost. - A gold breastpin. Finder will please leave at this office. I HAVE a Gerlach stave saw and equali-

zer in perfect order, that I will sell low for cash. A. C. Sine. Do not sell your wool until you see me. will give as much or more than anyone.

Cash. A. T. Nunnelley. JOHN FERGUSON has bought a house and lot of 4 acres in Middleburg, Casey county, for \$1,050 and will move there in a few

THE Olds Fellows have put up their bandsome chandelier and with elegant hanging lamps to match, they have one of the best lighted as well as the most conveniently arranged halle in the State.

I HAVE just returned from the city with the ladies to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. My prices are very low. On next Thursday and Friday, 12 and 13, I will have a public opening. Mrs. M. V.

style. Rockford watches a specialty. Pen- no suggestion, to the brethren of the member of the Presbyterian church and in Methodist church, taking in view the fact all his dealings with his fellow man he ex that they will soon have a most excellent hibited the strictest integrity and displayplace of worship, that they remove those ed the true christian gentleman. His days certificates which hang in rather "tough" were long upon the earth and he lived them looking frames at the back of the pulpit uprightly and well; henceforth he shall They certainly will be no addition to the enjoy his reward. The funeral services beautifully papered walls and will only serve to keep those eyes sore that have Christian church Wednesday morning. looked at them so long.

THE Commencement exercises of Garrard Female College will begin Friday evening, May 27th, with primary entertainment. Saturday afternoon, May 28th at 3 o'clock. musical recital; Sunday morning, May 29, at 11 o'clock, commencement sermon by daughter have taken rooms at Mrs. Kate Dr Morris Evans; Monday evening, May 30th, "Walter Scott Evening," literary entertainment; fuesday evening, May 31st, terday to take the position of salesman for annual concert; Wednesday morning, June let, address to graduates by Dr. J. H. Young, Ph. D, and delivery of diplomas; Wednesday evening, calisthenics entertain-

THE Chautauqua Assembly at Lexington, begin ning June 28, would seem to be of special interest to Sunday school work--MR. A. J. FRAZER and Miss Addie ere and all interested in the moral training of the young. We understand that special teachers are employed to give instruction in the most approved manner of teaching a suckling mule colt for \$100 and of R. B. burg, is assisting H. C. Rupley during his and governing classes: A large number of & E. P. Woods a young mule for \$100. Sunday-school workers from all over the -MR. T. R. WALTON went to Louisville State will be present, and by combining Tuesday to replenish his stock and take in their study with pleasant recreations and and helpful lectures by noted men, the -MISS MATTIE MCALISTER, an attract- meeting will form a great delight. The tention for the benefit of mother and infant class teachers.

THE members of the Presbyterian church held a meeting Wednesday afternoon and fully decided to build a new church. Taey appointed a building committee' composed of Mesers, Mack Huffman, George D. Wearen, Dr. Steele Bailey, W. H. Higgins and A. S. Myers to consult the members as to what kind of a church they shall build as well as to see about the cost of building it. They tell us that they will build an elegant brick church, with perhaps a base ment for the Sunday school. The amount collected so far is a little over \$3,600, with a good many [promises from ontsiders as well as from a number of members. The probable costiwill be between \$5 000 and

AT about 9:30 o'clook Monday night the country residence of Mr. Robert McAlister was discovered to be on fire and before as sistance arrived it was falling in and with the exception of an organ, a sewing machine and a feather bed, the contents were consumed. Mr. McAlister was absent at the time and his wife and two small boys and the house girl were the only persons present and are to be congratulated on their protect their property. It is generally night of this month. thought that the fire originated from the usual cause, a defective flue, but some think that it was the work of a negro man Mr. been very ill but is now better. McAlister has had some trouble with, The house and furniture were insured in the Christian churches of Lincoln county will London & Liverpool & Globe Company for convene here on the 28th of this month.

EDDIE WALTON, of the INTERIOR JOUR-NAL, was down to see Somerset last week. but found the place so well supplied with printers and newspapers that he went home a kind o' mad at Somerset and decided that the town is not on much of a boom, and yet the graves, planting flowers and clearing off it is a fact that Somerset is growing faster the shrubbery. than any other town in the State, But say, Eddie, about that name of paper: "Wise men some time change, but, &c - [Somerset Herald. The above is an answer to our business manager's letter from that place. It will be seen that Brother Hansford gets long, for he will take to Mt. Vernon that boom were exposed and a little more so be cause he is told of his scheme to get the good will of everybody-democrat, repub lican, prohibitionist, capitalist, laborer, or what not, so that he can rake in a little filthy lucre, not having the grit and inde pendence to say himself what his paper shall be called. As for El's being out with Commencing with Tuesday, 17th, I will spend every other Tuesday in Stanford and will be glad to wait on those who wish to since our paper has been published has it where she was teaching school.

W. O. Hansford. Mr. John A. McRoberts, the satisfaction.

Elder W. L. Williams, of Hustonville, also represents the John Church & Co., and will be pleased to serve his friends.

S. R. & L. J. COOK, Agents. have their pictures taken. I refer you to had a larger circulation in that county and where she was teaching school.

#### DEATHS.

-Dr. E. A. White, of Memphis, Tennessee, brother of R. L. White, of this county,

died Tuesday, 31 inst. -Died suddenly at his home in this county of an affection of the heart at 11:30 Monday night, Dr. Walter Williams Owsley, aged a little over 79 years. Last fall while at Dr. Perkins', in Somerset, he missed his footing and fell out of a window from the effects of which he never recovered, and has since been unable to walk. On the night of his death he ate his supper as usual and about 8 o'clock complained of feeling badly. The usual simple remedies were used, as there was no thought that he was dangerously ill, but at 11:30 he was a corpse. Born in this county, in 1808, he moved to Palaski about 1830, where he married Miss Martha, a daughter of Charles Hays, and niece of Ben Logan, of pioneer fame. By this union six sons were born, of whom Dr. J. B. Owsley alone survives. He was a practicing physician for years and in addition white in Pulaski engaged a nice line of millinery, to which I invite largely in the coal business, mining there and shipping by boat to Nashville. His second wife was Miss Ibbie A. Pennington and of the children born to them two, Stephen E. Owsley, this county, and Mre. A, K Walker, of Garrard, are still living. For WE suggest, although we are entitled to more than a half century he was a leading were conducted by Rev. A.S. Moffett at the where a vast number of friends and relatives gathered to pay the last tribute of respect, after which the remains were laid away in Buffalo Spring Cemetery.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP

A bunch of 25 good calves for sale. I M. Bruce, Stanford. -I have 100 barrels of corn for sale. Jo-

eeph Ballou, Stanford. -A. T. Nunnelley bought of R. B. & E

P. Woods 46 207-pound hogs at 4½ cts, -FOR SALE .- A thoroughbred Alderney cow and heifer calf. R. E. Barrow, Stan-

-H. T. Bush sold to J. Q. Montgomery for delivery between May 25 and June 1st, 27 200 pound hoge at 4½ cts. -Suckling ewes should not be shorn too

early. Cold, rainy weather will dry them up greatly to the injury of the lambs. -Levi Hubble bought of H. E Marcum

-Givens & Carter have bought of various parties in the last few days 15 milk

cows, paying for them from \$30 to \$40. -James B. Gentry bought at auction at Lexington, Trumpetta, a bay mare by ive brunette of Danville, is the guest of Mr. primary department will receive special at- Trumpengo, dam Endeavor, by Euquen,

Kraiz 51 head of cattle, which he has been slopping for four months, at \$4 55 per cwt. They averaged 1,243 pounds and were smooth and nice bullocks. W. A. Prewitt bought 38 good 200 pound hogs from Sam Ewing & Sons, at 43 cents and bought various lots to be delivered in May, June and July, at prices ranging from 41 cents to 43 cents. - [Danville Advocate.

-LEBANON COURT.-Capt. J. C. Glazebrook, auctioneer, reported considerable stock on the market, but prices off; many of the offerings were withdrawn. He sold 12 head of yearling cattle at \$19.38 per head; 6 yearling steers at \$17.50; 9 calves at \$9.95; cow and calf \$25; 3 yearling heifers at \$12 30; pair small 2 year old mules for \$117 50; 2 calves \$15; old mare, \$20 30; cow and calf \$20.40; 6 or 8 plug horses \$20 to \$60, -W. T. L. Hays sold 10 graded yearling cattle at \$16.25; dry cow \$14; cow and calf \$18; mares \$20 and \$90; yearling colt \$41.

CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

-Mr. Sam Cochran's wife presented him with an heir on the 1st inst. -Rev. B. A. Dawes will preach at the efforts to extinguish the fire and trying to Baptist church the 31 Sunday morning and

> -Mr. Hunley Singleton's attack of rose ola turned into pneumonia and he has

-The co operative meeting of all the

-The appearance of Mr. W. O. Hansford's house will be greatly improved when the one-story part of it is finished being torn away.

-A great deal of work is being done in our cemetery this spring-that of sodding

-One of our young ladies when joked about her sweetheart coming so often, replied that it was lonesome at Mt. Vernon and he came just to kill time. If reports be true he'll not continue lonesome very a little salty because the real facts of the which attracts him here. We heartily congratulate Mr. W. if he certainly has won

-Mrs. George Farris, of East Bernstadt, is visiting her sister in-law, Mrs. Scott Farris. Mr. and Krs. W. F. Kennedy have returned from a visit to Mr. Grove Kennedy's family in Garrard. Miss Alma Car son, of Brodhead, was the guest of Mrs. W. O. Hansford, Mr. John A. McRoberts,

nancial Secretary, Miss Mary Gormley; Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Higgins; Chaplain, J. R. Bulley; Marshal J. F. Holdam; Guard, Miss Lida Elmiston; Sentinel, W. J Ed. miston; A. Secretary. Prof. Goodwin; R. H. S., Miss Mollie Brooks; L. H. S., Mrs. M. J. Kennedy; D Marchal, Miss Louana James; P. W. C T. J L. Hutchinson; L. D., Mrs. S. F. H. Tarrant.

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BRODHEAD, KY., May, 1887.

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The new firm hopes, not only to sustain the rep-itation of the old, but intends to make many im-provements in the manufacture of tobacco which will be to the interest of our customers. We will levote special attention to our Natura! Leaf brands of Kentucky's best leaf Thanking you for past avors and asking for a continuation of your trade, MARTIN & PERKINS.

#### TURNPIKE ELECTION!

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Turnersville, McKinney & Coffey's Mill Turnpike Road Company will be held at Ware's Store, McKinney on the 1st Saturday in May, 1887, at 9 A. M. for the purpose of electing a President and Board of Directors for the ensuing year. J. J. McKINNEY, President.

#### TURNPIKE ELECTION!

The shareholders of the Hanging Fork & Green River Turnpike Road Company will meet at Jones' Store in McKinney on the 1st Saturday in May, 1887, for the purpose of electing a President and

#### TURNPIKE ELECTION!

The stockholders of the Hustonville & Coffey's Mill Turnpike Ruad Company will meet at Mt. Salem on the 1st Saturday in Msy, 1887, at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a President and Board of Directors for the ensuing year (C. I.VO). Practices

#### TURNPIKE ELECTION!

The stockholders of the Stanford & Milledgeville Turnpike Boad Company will meet at McCor-mack's Meeting House on the lst Saturday in May, 1887, at 2 P. M. for the purpose of electing a Presi-dent and Board of Directors for the ensuing year. ED. CARTER, President.

#### Turnpike Election!

The stockholders of the Knob Lick Turnpike Road Company will meet at the First National Pank in Stanford on the 1st Saturday in May, 1887 for the purpose of electing a President and Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

N. B.—All persons holding stock in this Company will please present their certificates either to the President or Secretary as we wish to is ue new certificates.

CLIFTON FOWLER, Pres.

### Turnpike Election!

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the tanford & Hails Gap Turnpike Company for the lection of a President and Board of Directors to the ensuing year will be held in the Circuit Clerk' ice in Stanford on the 1st Saturday in at 2 o'clock P. M. (t d.) J. E LYNN, Pres.

#### Turnpike Election!

The Stockholders of the Stanford & Hustonville Turnpike Road Corpany will hold their annual meeting for the election of a President and Board of Directors at Bailey's Store, Turnersville, on the 1st Saturday in May, 1887, at 2 o'clock P. M. J. F. CASH, President.

#### HALES WELL!

Season Opens June 1st, 1887.

TERMS OF BOARD: June per week \$4; July and August per week \$6; Children under 12 years and August per week \$6; Chilaren under 12 years old and Servants half price; Transient rates per day \$1, per meal \$40 cents. Hotel accommodations for about 50 guests. Cottages will be rented any time from now until 1st day of July to one family only at \$2.50 per week. After the 1st day of July \$5.50 will be charged. Special rates will be given two families desiring to occupy the same house. Horses will be well cared for and fed at \$3 per

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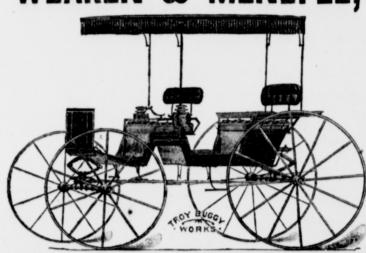
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The story that Marshal Ney was not ex aonorable distinction in France, and they Journal. have never given the least countenance to the North Carolina romance. It is remarkable, too, that there never has been a monument over the grave of Ney in Paris, the family declining to erect any memorial ar to allow the government to do it, on the where the dust of the Marshal reposes, exsept the name Ney cut in a flat stone under a little gateway into the family lot in the stomach who was suffering from that pain and about an inch and a half in length, that compose the immortal name.

er-Journal.

For the benefit of persons, who use oleomargarine and know it, and for those who tural Department says of it: "It appears that even the carcasses of horses, dogs and feet. swine have been utilized in the manufac- "Yes, a liar," was the emphatic response ers were not particular about the condition | ville." or age of the meat and bones either. I had a personal experience at my home in St. Louis, when I went to the butcher shop to get some meat for several hunting dogs that \* kept at the time. In the refuse barrel at blown meat was very conspicuous. When Sun. I asked the proprietor what he intended to to with such material, be said it was intended for a butter factory. By the use of acids and other chemical preparations the manufacturers of counterfeit butter are ensome of them use about one fourth pure butter to give their wares a good appearance and taste, and thereby many persons considered experts are deceived "

DISCHARGING AN EMPLOYE - 'Your coryou. Do you appreciate your situation?" there he went.

"I do," replied the clerk, "and I would be glad to retain it."

"I do not mean that. Do you grasp the situation in which you have placed yourself through having neglected your work?" "It begins to look," said the unhappy zierk, "as though there wouldn't be any sitnation to grasp.'

to let you go. Are you prepared to accept the situation?"

ap, "I'll accept any situation."

"Well, get to work," growled the man of

feet broad, with four solid copper sheaves - [Philadelphia Call. per wheels are but slightly oxidized.

refined borax, dissolved in a teacupful of arctic frigidity, "but I am not investing in water; first brush the head well, then wet a futures-not this week." brush and apply the mixture to the head. It was the custom of George Clark, the Do this every day for a week and then at heaviest land-owner in the State of Nev longer intervals. Thorough clenliness and York, who recently failed for \$1,000,000, to brequent, but not violent, brushing, at least mortgage back the farms he bought and every night as well as morning will gener. borrow money to pay the interest on mort ally keep the head free from candruff .- gagee. His capital was his credit and when Scientific American,

The next legislature will be asked to amend the law in regard to malicious wounding. A murderous assault is frequently one of the worst crimes that can be committed. The cases of the late Judge Reid and Miss Jennie Bowman (provided the latter recovere) show how insufficient the penalty is to the offense. The pen alty of such a crime should be left largely to the discretion of the jury. Imprisonment in the State penitentiary for a term of two years should be the lowest punishment. For an aggravated case, imprisonment for life would not be too severe. And where the assault with intent to kill is committed on a woman, the death pena'ty ought to be inflicted. It is no doubt true that the severity of a law often renders it ineffectual. But it is manifestly impossible to prescribe one punishment which will do justice in all eases. It is easy to fix a penalty for murder, and, in every instance, it should be death. Our law, as it applies to manslaughter, is a very good one, and should not be disturbed. But in cases of assault and battery, malicious wounding, and other crimes against the person which do not result in murder, the statutes are sadly deficient. - [S. M. Burdett in Courier Journal.

"The low-necked dress must go," says an exchange. Which way, please? It cans ot well go lower, that is, conveniently.

Senator Vest says he didn't say that Cleveland said he wouldn't have a second

We do not believe that Kentucky has ever had an abler or more upright Execuscuted in Paris after the battle of Water- tive than Gov. Knott. When the record of too, but was saved by a mock execution, his administration has been gone over crit and came to this country, where he passed | ically it will surprise those who have pagas Michael Rudolph, and died in North | ged it on private grounds chiefly, and will Varolina, is revived, and an examination of redound altogether to the credit of the parthe skull of Rudolph is to be made, to see ty, which this brilliant Kentuckian has whether it had a peculiarity known to have served so well both in National coursels marked Ney. The family of Ney is of and the home Government .- [Courier

To pick up a horsesnoe is a sign of good luck -there is no doubt about it. Maud S. can pick up a horseshoe quicker than any trotter in the world and see what luck she has. But it isn't always lucky to pick up a horseshoe with a borse nailed to it. A ground that his I fe had been taken by the man down in Texas did that the other day French Government when he never fought and he was made to decorate a telegraph against France. There is nothing to tell pole, just for luck. It is not generally known that a horseshoe will cure dyspensia A horse planted one in the pit of a man's semetery—the lot being surrounded by a ful disorder, and he never complained aflow iron rail. One can brush away the terward. The time to plant them is in the dust and see the three letters, all shallow spring. A red-hot horseshoe carried in the hand has been known ro cure a boy of picking up things.

Business is Business. - Two takeng r on the train became involved in a very may use it without knowing it, we print heated controversy, which finally waxed so what commissioner Colman, of the Agricul- hot that one of them called the other a liar. "What's that, a liar?" and he was on his

ture of oleomargarine, and the manufactur. "or my name ain't John Smith, of Smith

"What, the hardware merchant?" "The same."

"Mr. Smith, I am delighted to know you. I represent Messrs. Sharpedge & Co., of New York, and can show you a line of samples this place I often saw maggots, and fly- that will make your hair curi." - [N. 1

Attorney General Garland had a hard time of it in his earlier manhood. After his admission to the bar he hung out his shingle at Washington, Ark., but the clients all passed his door and entered the of abled to destroy all offensive smells, and fice of an older lawyer. One day he astonished his office associates by blindfold. ing himself, stepping up to a map of the State and viciously thrusting his pencil in to the map, with the words: "I am going to move where my pencil strikes. If it's duct has been such for a month past," said | town, I'll practice law; if it's country, I'll an employer to his clerk, "that, in justice farm it; if it's a river, I'll go to steamboutto my business, I am forced to discharge ing." The poncil struck Little Rock and

Gretna Green is a village in Dumfriesshire Scotland, a short distance from the English frontier, which was long notorious for irregular marriages. One of the most glaring abuses of the Fleet prison, in London was the illegal performance of the marriage geremony by clergymen confined within its precincts for debt. They were "You still misunderstand me. You have declared illegal in 1754, by a marriage act. been unmindful of the Juties imposed upon and runaway lovers repaired to Gretna to you, and, in consequence, I am compelled be married. So border and illegal marriages performed in another State, to avoid the laws of the State in which contracting Sciatica, "Oh, Yes," said the clerk, brightening parties reside, are called Gretna Green mar riages.

DIRECT FROM CASHMERE. -- Customer --How much did you say for these pants?" Stings, The capability of sea water as a preserva Moses Rubenstein-"Two dollars and a Bruises, tive is shown by the fact that among the halluf. Dake dem now and I makes it two Bunions, articles recovered from vessels sunk in the and a kavorter. Dey is de finest cashme e, Corns, harbor of Vigo, Spain, in 1702, there have mine frendt." Customer (doubtfully) been recovered specimens of logwood and 'They are, are they? Well, I dunno-they enabogony ttat, notwithstanding their 184 don't look like it." Rubenstein-"Don't years' sub nersion, are in the most perfect look like -. See here, my frendt, we know atate of preservation. The chief object of dese pants is de genevine ardicle, because interest however, is an ancient pulley. we import dem direct from Cashmere. block, four and one half feet high and three Dake dem now an' I'll make it two dollars '

38 inches in diameter. The oak wood is "And this is to be the end of all?" stid perfectly preserved, but an iron band is O'Reilly de Fere, as he seized the girl's completely corroded away, while the cop hand. "This is about the size of it," ste replied, coldly. "You tell me that your What will remove dandruff from a per- employer has re'used to raise your salary?" son's head without injury to the skin or 'Yes," cried the youth eagerly, "but next hair? A. Take a thimbleful of powdered year -" "Excuse me," she interupted, with

his credit filled his collapse was in evitable

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At 12 o'clock M , for cash, 10 per cent. to be At 12 o'clock M, for cash, 10 per cent. to be paid at time of sale and the balauce within thirty days thereafter, at the Norfolk Real Estate Exchange, No. 47 Commerce street, Norfolk, Virginia. to the highest bidder at public auction, all that certain TRACT OF LAND conveyed by the said deed, situated in Harlan county, in the State of Kentucky, on the Poor Fo k of the Cumberland River, latitude 37 degrees, longitude 83 degrees, and bounded and described in said deed as beginning at three (manle, black oak, and chestnut) trees at three (maple, black oak, and chestnut) trees standing on a spur on the north side of the Black Mountain, running thence north 1,280 poles to a stake, thence north 60 deg., east 1,024 poles to a stake, count 1,600 poles to a stake, thence south 60 deg., west 1,024 poles to two sugar trees, thence north 230 poles to the place of beginning, containtenthousand acres of land, and believed to be full of coal of the most valuable quality, and easily ac-

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THE FANCY SADDLE STALLION,

oalded May 1, 1879. Is a rich mahogony bay fine and fancy, is both a natural and pleasant said fine and fancy, is both a natural and pleasant said-dier, breeds fancy, and a more uniform breeder of saddiers can not be found. He is high-tail style on both sides to the third generation, its backed up by thorough-breds on both sides, making him very active and sprightly in gait, in form and finish a perfect model. He was sired by the noble Sumpter Denmark, he by Goddard's Denmark, he by Gaines & Cromwell's Denmark, he by the race horse Denmark, he by Imported Hedgeford. His 1st dam was sired by Sir Wallace, he by Tod-hunter's Sir Wallace, he by Sir Albert (thoroughhunter's Sir Wallace, he by Sir Albert (through bred) second dam by Virginius (dam of Virginius) by Tranby, thorough-bred) he by the celebrate Mason's Whip; 3 dam a Whip mare Will make the season of 1887 at my farm,

miles from Husionville, near Carpenter's station and will be permitted to serve mares at \$10 the Season or \$12.50 to In. sure a Living Colt.

Mares committed to my care and breeding will re ceive my personal attention. Grass furnished at reasonable rates, to be paid for before the removas. No responsibility for accidents or es-Parting with mares forfeits the insurance.

J. STEELE CARPENTER.

### MESSENGER CHIEF, JR

Bay Stallion foalded in 1883. 16 hands high, Bay Stallion foalded in 1883, 16 hands high, is by Messenger Chief, 1st dam by Vermont Jr., 2 dam by Imp. Scythian, 3 dam by Bonner's Gray Eagle, 4 dam by Onstott's Telegraph. His sire Messenger Chief, 2 in 2 39 list, by Ab-dallah Pilot, dam by Mambrino Messenger, 2 dam by Mambrino Chief, 3 dam by Imp. Napoleon, 4 dam by Tempest; Messenger Chief sired Maud Messenger 2.16<sup>1</sup>4; Marvel 2 28; Gus 2,23 and many others destined to win tame on the turf.

Abdallah Pilot, by Alexander's Abdallah; dam
Bandina, by Mambrino Chie; second dam (Rosalind's dam, 2.215...) by Parker's Brown Pilot. Abdallah Pilot sired Pickard 2.185; Red Jim 8 yearold reco d 2.28; Mess nger Chief sired Maud Mes-

Alexander's Abdallah, by Rystyk's Hambletoman, dam Saila Darling. Alexander's Abdallah sired Goldsmith Maid 2.14, Rosalind 2.21%; Thoradale 2.22%; Major Edsall 2.29, St. Elmost. 2.80. He also stred Almost, Belmont, Belmont, Edsora, Snelby Chief, together with the dams of Jerome Eddy 2.16%; Katie Middleton 2.23, Bill Thunder Messenger Chief, Jr . will make the present sea

son at my place 1\2 natiles from Hustonville on t Bradfordsville pike, st

### \$10 TO INSURE A LIVING COLT

Money due when coit is foaled or mare parted with. Mare, will be pastured at \$2 per mouth, but I will not be responsible for accidents J K. B . UGHMAN.

#### JO ABDALLAH, ake the present season at M. SMITH SHMAN'S, 2 miles from Stanfard, on the

BAUGHMAN'S, 2 miles from Stanfard, on the Somer et pike at \$10 to insure a living cost, same conditions as above. He is a fine combined by onditions as above. He is a fine con 6 bands high of good style and as tion and has proven h J. K. BAUGHMAN



JESSE J THORPSON, PROP'E

Wo knone in the latest style, with next



### THE COMBINED STALLION,

ne, combined stallion will make the son of 1887 at my stable near, Shelby City, in Lin-coln county, on the Shelby City, &; Knob Lick Turnpike road, at

#### \$15 the Season, or \$20 to Insure.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE. -- Second Jewel is DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE.—Second Jewel is a blood bay, with black mane and tail, 15 hands inches high, with fine style and action. He is 6 years old this spring, was sired by Lewis Cunningbam's Jewel, he by the famous old Washington Denmark. First dam, Minnie, by McDonaid's Halcorn; second dam by Welis' Crusader; third dam by a son of Davy Crockett; fourth dam a valuable old saddle mare, pedigree unknown. Mr. H. C. Parvin's Old Minnie, dam of Second Jewel, was a premium animal from a colt up to an aged mare. Second Jewel has been shown 34 times and Second Jewel has been shown 34 times and orn the slick tie 31 times-defeated only three

will also stand at the same stable, the fine young jack

BLACK HAWK, At 88 to Insure a Live Colf. He is black, 14 hands 3 inches high. He was sired by Caldwell's Young Black Hawk, he by Velocipede, he by Robertson's Sampson, he by Imp. Mam-moth. His dam was by Stigall's Black Hawk-second dam was raised by Stiles Maxwell and was an imported jack. Money due when the colt is toaled or mura parted with. Lien retained on a lts till season charges are paid. Pasturage will be furnished at reasonable rates. Parting with mares forfeits t

### ERICSSON, JR.,

C. T. SANDIDGE,

Is by Ericsson (6 in 2:30 list,) by Membrino Chief rino Paymaster, dam the dam of Goliah 2.30. His sons sired 22 and his daughters are the dams of 18 in the 2.30 list.

Eriesson is half brother to Eric, record of 2.2834

a four-year-old and sold to Kobert Bonner at tt a four-year-old and sold to holder broker hat age for \$10,000.

1st dam by Bodoc, by old Pilot, sire of Pilot, Jr., (12 in 2:3) list.) Pilot sired the dams of Jay Eye see, 2:10; Mard 8. 2:0834, Nutwood 2:1834 and 21 in the 2:80 list. Membrino Chief sired Lady Thorn 1834, Woodford Membrino 2:2134, Brignoli 294, Fisk's Mambrino Chief 2:2934, Bay Henry 1934, Membrino Star 2:2834, Membrino Pilot

2.29%, Membrino Star 2.28%, Membrino Pilot 27, North Star 2.26%, Ericsson, Jr., is a solid black, 16 hands high, and weighs 1,200 lbs. He is a horse that recommends himself even if he had no pedigree. But possessing the blood that he does should make him grandest stallions in Kentucky.

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Will also stand

MY FINE JACK, McELROY, At \$10 on the same conditions as above. He has

proven himself to be a superior breeder, having produced some of the best mules in this and adjoining counties and is also a good Jernet Jack. He is 15½ hands high, nearly black, with mealy points and general make up 1st class. E. S. POWELL,

#### 2½ miles from Hustonville, on the Huston Liberty Turnpike road, Libeola county, Ky. ARTHUR SIMS.

No. 3941, Standard Under Rule 7 (A. T. R., Vol [V.)

Two miles from Lancaster, on the Stauford pike at

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TWENTY DOLLARS THE SEASON With privilege of return in 1888, or \$30 insurance

desirable stock horse, and on his sire's side traces twice to Imp. Messenger and twice on his dam's Mares kept in any manner desired,

T. A.E LKIN, Lancaster, Ky.

Gen. Knox, 140, Standard Under Rule 8, the sire of Arthur Sims, was bred by Daniel Heustis. Bridg-port, Vt., and was foaled in 1855. He was by Vermout Hero, 141, Ist dam by Searcher, son of Barney Hen-ry, 2nd Hunsden Mare by Hin's Sir Charles, son of Duroc. Becord 2:31%, public trial at 16 years old

2:24.
Among the get of Gen. Knox with records in 2.30 or better, are the following: Lady Maud 2.18½; Camers 2.19½; Independence 2.21½; Gilbert Knox 2.26¾; Emperor Knox 2.27½; Knox 2.20½; Victor 2.28; Knox Boy 2.23½; Peacoful 2.20; Harry Spanker 2.30; Messenger Knox 2.30 His sons, Col. Elisworth, Coupon, Cromwell, Eclaire, Emperor William, Gen. Krox. Jr., Gen. Lighttoot, Gilbreth, Knox, Jules Jurgensen, Knox Boy, Lon Morris, Phil Sheridan, St. Elmo, Whalebone Knox, and Phil Sheridan, St. Elmo, Whalebone Knox, and Woodlord Knox have sired the following, with records of 2 30 or better: Iron Age 2.1934; Capitola 2.2256; Frank F. 2.2034; Nellie Watton 2.2636; Charles B. 2.27; Fanny M. 2.2934; Wallace 2.2934; Nina, pacer, 2.2214, Honesty, pacer, 2 2214 &c.

Full brother to Maud Messenger 2.16)4, by Messenger Chief, sire of Maud Messenger, 2.16%. Gus

1st dam Gentle Breeze, sire of Pearl 2 80, also of the dam of Maud Messenger 2:1614 and Peal Mediam 2:2816.

2nd dam KittyRivers, the dam of Bertle Glib two-year-old recordof 3 minutes, 4-year-old record 1.37, by Alexander's Abdallah, sire of Goldsmith

3rd dam by Red Jacket, sire of the dam o Kentucky Wilkes.

Maud Messenger, full sister to Messenger Breeze had a record when 4 years of 2.251/2, at 5 years 2.23, at 6 years 2:20 and at 7 years old .won the \$2,000 urse at Cleveland, Ohio, in 2:181/2-2.161/2-2.171/ the same year. 1884, Sept. 6th, she beat the crack Red Wilkes-Phil Thompson a match race for [\$5,-000, in 2 16/4-2.17/4-2.19. Mr. Crit Davis will send her again this year through the grand cir-

nigh well-bred, well-knit, muscular and strong, producing family, his sire, his dam'and his granddam all being producers of speed, be is just the kind of a horse to make a lasting impression on

HOUSE BARBER SHOP, 830 TO INSURE A MARE IN FOAL. Money due when the fact is ascertained, or mare parted with or bred to another horse. Will make he seasen of 1887 on the farm of

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AND 2 JACKS.

Will make the season of 1887 at my stables on the pike leading from Stanford to Grab Orchard, 3 miles from the latter place.

Belgium was brought from Ohto at two-years-old and is now 6. He is \$\frac{3}{4}\$ Norman, a beautiful dapple gray, heavy mane and tail, of good style and action, and has proven himself a good breeder, several of his colts having been kept for stallions. William James, 'Squire A. K. McKinney, who have his colts, are referred to. have his colts, are referred to.

The jack, Mogui. is 9 years old, black, with white nose, was sired by 5 Madison jack. I don't know the stock, but know he is a good mule jack. His dam was Black Hawk, he is quick and a good breeder. Black Hawk is a solid black, 4 years old, 14% hands bigh, will show seven coust this spring, a few last spring are very fine mules

The horse will stand at

#### The Jacks at \$8 to insure Colts 4 months ld. Mare traded with or moved off makes money ue, the colts stand good twelve u L. D. GARNER.

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SILVER KING

Will make the present season at my stable one mile from Stanford on the Stanford and Huston-ville Turnpike

At \$10 to Insure a Living Colt. He is a years old, 16 hands high, a beautiful ma-hogony bay, with fine mane and tall and a perfect model and a natural saddle horse.

Sired by Hubble's Denmark, known as On Time. First dam, Moille Mounts, by Cabble's Lexington; second dam by Young, America, he by Taylor's Messenger; third dam by Miller's Denmark which gives him a double cross of the host, models.

gives him a double cross of the best saddle stock in the world; fourth dam by John Blunt, one of the best race horses of his day; fifth dam by Wary Will also stand at the same place my fine Jack

#### STEVE WALKER.

J. E. & J. R. FARRIS,

### Hambletonian.

This fine stallion will make the season of 1837 at my farm, 3 miles from Starford, on the Stanford and Danville pike

#### AT \$15 TO INSURE A COLT. DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE .- Vermon

amb etonian is a black horse, foaled in 1882, six. en hands high, two white feet behind, sired by a - x \* 17 teen hands high, two white feet behird, sired by william Welch, by Rysdyk's Hambletonian, 1st dam Katie Grimes, by Gill's Vermont, 2nd dam Black Swan, by Heim's Yorkshire, by Imp. Yorkshire, 3rd dam Little Emily, by Wagner, by Siz Charles, by Sir Archy, 4th dam Emily Speed, by Imp. Leviathan, 5th dam by Packolet, 6th dam by Greendriver, 7th dam by Maryland Phonix, 8th dam by Hannibal, 2 dam by Silky, by Bowel, (8ms Emily; Speed in Bruce's Sind Book Vol 1, page 592) Vermont Hambletonian is a fine big horse, with five style and good bone, and usure preedyr, sired by William Welch, the sire of Prince Imperial Vermont Hambletonian is a fine big horse, with fine style and good bone, and a sure breeder, sired by William Welch, the sire of Prince Imperial, 2.225, Jeremtah 2.235, Beesie T can trot in 2.30 or better. William Welch was sired by Rysdyk's Hembletonian, private record 28, lat dam the dam of Roden's Prince, 2.27, and by Imp. Trustee(sn of Cotto-) and sire of twenty miles trotter, Trustee, 2 dam by a son of Mambrino, by Imp. Messenger, Vermont being a grand son of the great Rysdyk's Hambletonian, the grandest sire living, and fill's Vermont combin d, backed by thorough bred, wid nake a fine stock horse. Rysdyk's Hambletonian, the grandest sire living, and belonian by Abdallah, son of Mambrino, dam by Imp. Messenger.

Gill's Vermont by Downing's Vermont, sire of the dam of Enigma 2.16. 1st dam by Columbus (Barkley's) con of Columbus, sire of Confidence 2.28; 2nd dam by Bertrard, site of the dams of the dam of Climax 2.81. Gill's Vermont is the sire of Bounce Roy 2.23; Black Maris 2.25%. Lady One

Neilie Gray 2.24; 3d dam by Matchies, sire of the dam of Climax 2.31. Gill's Vermont is the sire of Bouner Boy 2.23, Black Maria 2.26%, Lady Oak 2.56, and Logan 2.40%; also sire of the cams of Gambetta Wilkes 2.56. The King 2.294, Neilie L. 2.234, Cutlaw 2.284, Pearl 2.30, Lady Davis 2.31% Beatrica 2.344, Lady Patchen 2.3644, and Kentucky Gentleman 2.475, and sire of the second dam of Phil Thompson 2.1646.

Rysdyk's Hambetonian, by Abdallah, sire of Sir Walter 2.27. Ist dam by Chas. Kent mare by Imp. Belliounder; 2nd dam One Eye, by Bishop Hambletonian; 3rd dam silvertall by Imp. Messenger, Rysdyk's Hambletonian is the sire of Nettie 2.18, and 37 others with records of 2.30 or better; also of

and 37 others with records of 2.30 or better; also of the dams of Trinket 2.14, and 35 others with records of 2.30 or better. Ords of 2.30 or better

Vermont (Downing's) by Hill's Black Hawk, sire of E han Allen 2.25½. Vermont (Downing's) is sire of the dams of Engma 2.26, and also sire of the dam of Mambrino Bruce, the sire of Belle Wilson 2.25½.

Hill's Black Hawk, by Sherman Morgen. Dam, a fast trotting mare. Hill's Ela & Hawk is the lire of Belle of Saratoga 2.79, Lancet 2.27%, Ethan Allen 2.25\(\frac{1}{2}\), and Young America 2.23\(\frac{1}{2}\), and Is sire of the dams of Bianche 2.23\(\frac{1}{2}\), Gen Tweed 2.26\(\frac{1}{2}\), Tennessee 2.27, and also the foundard fit great Biack Hawk is maily, that has in the wale and and female line 40 of 2.30 or better representatives.

tives.
Co-umbus (Barkley's), by Old Columbus, sire of Confidence 2 28. Dam, a Messenger Mare.
Old Columbus, 2.44½, Converted pacer, Frought from Canada, Sire of Confidence 2 28, Columbus Navigator 2 34, Rosan ond 2.36½, and 1 oung Columbus 2 36½, and also sire of the dams of Ben Morill 2.27, Louise N. 2.20½, Nameless 2 46, Purits 2.37½ (Young Columbus is the sire of 11 2.30 or better performers, and he has 4 sons that have

s 2.37% (Young Columbus is the site of r better performers, and he has 4 sons that have sired It 2.50 or better performers.) Old Columbus family, which bus is the founder of the Columbus family, which bload was to the East what she Pilot. Jr., bload was to Kentucky. THOS. C. ROBINSON,



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